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Services set for Johnson soldier

Pfc. Joshua Allen Gray killed Feb. 10 in non-combat incident

by Lilly Adkins
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE — Funeral services have been set for a Johnson County soldier killed earlier this month in a non-combat incident in Afghanistan.

Services for Private First Class Joshua Allen Gray will be Saturday, March 1, at 11 a.m. in the Johnson County Middle School gymnasium, where visitation will be from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday.

Gray, 21, of Van Lear, died at Bagram Airfield in Afghanistan as a result of a non-combat related incident Feb. 10.

Gray was a member of the Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion and served as a satellite communications system operator maintainer.

Fort Drum said Gray, a 10th Mountain Division soldier, joined the Army in November 2012. After completing training at Fort Jackson in South Carolina, he was assigned to Fort Gordon Georgia and Fort Benning, Ga.

Gray arrived at Fort Drum in October 2013 and deployed with his unit to Afghanistan in January.

Gray's awards and decorations include the Army Commendation Medal, the Army Good Conduct Medal, the NATO Medal, the Overseas Ribbon, the Army Service Ribbon, the National Defense Service Medal, the Global War on Terrorism Service Medal, the Afghanistan Campaign Medal, and the Expert Marksmanship Badge.

Gray was a 2011 graduate of John-

son Central High School, where he was a member of the academic team, Skills USA team, prom king and voted Most Unforgettable by his senior class.

In September 2011, Gray was one of 16 area students to have been named as Senator Jeff Green Scholars. Students earn this designation by achieving a 4.0 grade point average all four years of high school and scoring at least a 28 composite on the ACT.

Gray is survived by his father, Seth



Pfc. Joshua Allen Gray

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Pain clinic owners will be rearraigned

by Tony Fyffe
BSN MANAGING EDITOR

PIKEVILLE — The owners of a former Floyd County pain clinic charged with federal drug offenses have apparently reached a plea deal with prosecutors.

Attorneys for Ray Douglas Stapleton and Tina Marie Stapleton filed a joint motion Thursday asking to be rearraigned.

U.S. Magistrate Judge Edward Atkins granted the request and schedule their rearraignment for Monday.

The Stapletons, who owned Auto Accident and Health Care at Auxier, along with Dr. Stephen C. Army and Dr. Emmanuel Galang Acosta, were named in a federal indictment issued in September 2012 charging them with conspiring to unlawfully dispense prescription drugs at Auto Accident and Health Care.

They are charged with illegally dispensing Oxycodone, Hydrocodone and Xanax from July 2011 through June 30, 2012.

The indictment alleges that the Stapletons operated Auto Accident and Health Care for the purpose of illegally distributing controlled substances.

The Stapletons, Army and Acosta initially pleaded not guilty to the charges. They were among several people indicted in August 2012 on charges of illegally distributing prescription drugs in Eastern Kentucky.

ALLEGED ROBBER NABBED



DALLAS D. STACY is the man suspected to have robbed the Warfield Drug Store at gunpoint Thursday. Martin County Sheriff Garmon Preece is in the process of making arrangements to have him extradited from Southwestern Regional Jail in West Virginia, where he is being held in lieu of a \$150,000 bond.

Arrest made in Warfield heist; suspect sought in Floyd incident

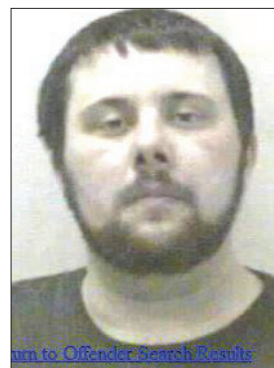
by Lilly Adkins
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

Martin County officials are in the process of trying to extradite a man they believe was involved with an armed robbery of Warfield Drug Store Thursday.

Kentucky State Police, meanwhile, are looking for the man involved in an armed robbery at Midee Mart in the Lackey community of Floyd County two days earlier.

Martin County Sheriff Garmon Preece said Friday that the man suspected to have been involved in the armed robbery of Warfield Drug Store, Dallas D. Stacy, was apprehended by West Virginia authorities who responded to a complaint from a gas station located along Rt. 119 involving a man who had apparently passed out in his vehicle.

"He was gone by the time they got there, but they found him on down the road where he had pulled



Dallas D. Stacy

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Trial begins in Martin fraud case

by Tony Fyffe
BSN MANAGING EDITOR

PIKEVILLE — Trial got underway Monday in federal court for three people charged in a Social Security fraud case involving the former mayor of Martin, while a fourth defendant is not facing the jury due to a plea deal she reached with federal prosecutors.

Ginger Michelle Halbert, 42, of Martin, pleaded guilty Friday in U.S. District Court at Pikeville to three charges contained in an indictment returned last October.

As part of the plea agreement, prosecutors agreed that they will not seek charges against Halbert's son, Jeremy Pack for "involvement, if any, as currently known to the government. Pack is expected to testify for the prosecution during the trial of the remaining defendants, former Martin Mayor Ruth Thomasine Robinson, 69; her daughter, Rita Christine Whicker, 42, who formerly directed the Martin Community Center; and Ethel Lee Clouse, 68, the former city bookkeeper.

According to the plea agreement, Halbert began receiving SSA disability benefits in 1999.

"Sometime in 2005 or 2006, the Defendant began working in the office of the Mayor of Martin, Thomasine Robinson," the agree-

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TORRENTIAL RAINS CAUSED a rockslide along Rt. 460 in Johnson County last week that created a barricade for motorists, with some getting out of their vehicles to help move rocks from the roadway to let traffic flow again.
BSN photo/Ron Adkins



Drug, sex abuse charges head indictments

by Lilly Adkins
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

PAINTSVILLE — Twenty-nine indictments were issued Feb. 19 by the Johnson County Grand Jury.

Named in the true bills were:

- David Blevins, 36, of Staffordsville, charged with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance and three counts of trafficking in a substance that simulates a controlled

substance.

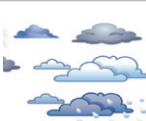
According to the indictment, on or before June 26, 2013, Blevins allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in methamphetamine in an amount less than two grams. The indictment says that on July 18, 2013, July 24, 2013 and July 30, 2013, Blevins trafficked in acetaminophen, while representing it as methamphetamine.

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CHARGES: Drug, sex abuse charges head indictments

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- Ricky Dorton Jr., 31, of Oil Springs, charged with first-degree sexual abuse.
- According to the indictment, on or before Jan. 17, 2013, Dorton allegedly knowingly and unlawfully subjected a person less than 12-years-old to sexual contact.
- Diamond R. Akers, 70, of Paintsville, charged with possession of a firearm by a convicted felon and possession of a defaced firearm.
- According to the indictment, on or about Jan. 31, Akers was allegedly, knowingly and unlawfully in possession of a defaced .22-caliber rifle after having been previously convicted of a felon.
- Michael D. Castle, 41, of Sitka, charged with second-offense manufacturing methamphetamine, possession/use of drug paraphernalia and first-degree persistent felony offender.
- According to the indictment, on or before Jan. 10, Castle allegedly knowingly and unlawfully manufactured methamphetamine or was in possession of two or more chemicals or two or more pieces of equipment with the intent to manufacture methamphetamine while having been previously convicted of manufacturing methamphetamine in Johnson Circuit Court.
- Castle possessed light bulbs, pen tubes, scales and a pill crusher used in the consumption of controlled substances and is a twice previously convicted felon, the indictment said.
- Jerry L. Maynard, 27, of Inez, charged with three counts of second-degree criminal possession f a forged instrument and second-degree persistent felony offender.
- According to the indictment, on or about Oct. 11, 2013, Maynard allegedly knowingly and unlawfully was in possession of a forged check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$862.46 cashed at Food City in Paintsville; a forged check on Oct. 13, 2013, drawn on Excel Mining for the amount of \$989.62, cashed at Food City in Paintsville and on Oct. 16,

2013, a forged check drawn on Excel Mining for the amount of \$782.54, cashed at Food City in Paintsville. Maynard is also a previously convicted felon, the indictment says.

Timothy M. Scott, 38, of Swamp Branch, charged with flagrant non-support.

According to the indictment, on or before Dec. 3, 2008 through Jan. 31, Scott failed to pay child support to Regina K. Kerr-Justice as court ordered with a total amount exceeding \$2,895.05.

- Michael Hollan, 39, of West Van Lear, charged with flagrant non-support.
- According to the indictment, on or before Apr. 1, 2012 through Jan. 31, Hollan allegedly failed to pay child support to Melissa Hollan as court ordered with a total amount exceeding \$3,493.09.
- Bradley Simon Castle, 31, of Hager Hill, charged with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance and second-degree persistent felony offender.
- According to the indictment, on or before Sept. 10, 2013, Castle allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked less than two grams of methamphetamine, a controlled substance. He is also a previously convicted felon, according to the indictment.
- Kenneth Lash, 30, of River, charged in three separate indictments with second-degree trafficking in a controlled substance, less than 20 dosage units.
- According to the indictments, on or before May 29, 2013, Lash allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in six dosage units of a schedule III controlled substance, buprenorphine; on June 12, 2013, six dosage units of a schedule III controlled substance, buprenorphine; and on May 1, 2013, five dosage units of a schedule III controlled substance, buprenorphine.
- Ashley Ralph, 29, of River, charged with second-degree trafficking in a controlled substance, less than 20 dosage units/complicity.
- According to the indictment, on or before May 1, 2013, Ralph, acting alone or in complicity with Lash, allegedly knowingly and unlawfully

trafficked in five dosage units of a schedule III controlled substance, buprenorphine.

- Justin Fields, 22, of Paintsville, charged with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance less than 10 dosage units and second-degree trafficking in a controlled substance, less than 20 dosage units.
- According to the indictment, on or before June 14, 2013, Fields allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked less than 10 units of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone, and two dosage units of a schedule III controlled substance, Buprenorphine.
- Michael R. Eldridge, 41, and Haley J. Ramey, 33, both of Paintsville, charged in two separate indictments each with second-degree trafficking in a controlled substance, less than 20 dosage units/complicity.
- According to the indictments, on or before June 11, 2013 and June 12, 2013, Ramey and Eldridge, acting alone or in complicity with each other, allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in six dosage units of a schedule III controlled substance, Buprenorphine.
- Eldridge is also charged in two additional indictments with second-degree trafficking in a controlled substance less than 20 dosage units.
- According to the indictments, Eldridge allegedly knowingly and unlawfully on June 13, 2013, and July 30, 2013, trafficked in eight dosage units of a schedule III controlled substance, buprenorphine.
- Genia Danielle McCarty, 24, of Hager Hill, charged in two separate indictments with second-degree trafficking in a controlled substance.
- According to the indictments, on or before April 29, 2013, and on May 7, 2013, McCarty allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in five dosage units of a schedule III controlled substance, Buprenorphine.
- Joshua R. Johnson, 26, and Tyler W. Runnels, 21, both of Hager Hill, charged in two separate indictments with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance less than 10 dosage units/complicity.

According to the indictments, on April 29, 2013, and on May 14, 2014, Johnson and Runnels, acting alone or in complicity with each other, allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked less than 10 units of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone.

Johnson is charged in a separate indictment with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance less than 10 dosage units.

According to the indictment, on or before May 1, 2013, Johnson allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in less than 10 units of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone.

Runnels is charged in a separate indictment with first-degree trafficking in a controlled substance less than 10 dosage units.

According to the indictment, on or before May 2, 2013, Runnels allegedly knowingly and unlawfully trafficked in less than 10 units of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone.

- Anthony Ratliff, 29, of Denver, charged with flagrant non-support and second-degree persistent felony offender.
- According to the indictment, on or before March 1, 2011, through Oct. 31, 2013, Ratliff allegedly failed to pay

child support to Kayla Music as court ordered with a total amount exceeding \$7,711.22 and he is also a previously convicted felon.

- Jerry Penticuff, 39, of Paintsville, charged with flagrant non-support.
- According to the indictment, on or before July 27, 2001, Penticuff allegedly failed to pay child support to Andrea Phipps as court ordered with an amount exceeding \$22,648.05.
- Editor's note: An indictment is not an indication of guilt but a determination by a grand jury that criminal charges warrant further judicial review.*

ROBBERIES: Arrest made in heist

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off,” Preece said. “He was in the vehicle that was used in the Warfield Drug Store robbery and there was enough evidence in the car, we believe, to identify him as the man who robbed the Warfield Drug Store. We had already been looking for him in Martin County. He lived up Wolf Creek for a while. I just served an eviction notice on him, I think, Monday. When I heard about it, I was 99.9 percent sure it was the same man. We have to get our warrant signed and show it to West Virginia officials. He still has to go to magistrate court over there for charges and we will see if he will agree to be extradited or whether he wants to fight it. They haven’t gotten it scheduled yet.”

Preece said just after the armed robbery occurred that video from the security cameras showed the armed robber pointing his pistol at the owner and an employee of the store as he tripped and nearly fell.

Preece also said there was a customer in the store at the time the armed robbery occurred.

“He took pills,” Preece said. “He told them what he wanted. He was driving a gold, four-door Buick with no tags on it. It was an older

model.”

At the time of the robbery, Preece said he was checking other businesses in the area to see if their security cameras may have also captured some video footage with which he could further identify the robber.

Stacy is currently being held in lieu of a \$150,000 cash bond at Southwestern Regional Jail in West Virginia.

The case is under investigation by the Martin County Sheriff’s Office and anyone with information regarding the incident is urged to contact them at (606) 298-2828.

In an unrelated incident, officials are looking for a man involved in the robbery at Midee Mart the Lackey Feb. 18.

Kentucky State Police responded to a call of an armed robbery at the business and obtained information at the scene indicating that an unidentified male entered the business, brandished a weapon and demanded money. He left with an undisclosed amount of cash.

The male fled on foot and is described as being approximately 6 feet tall, of slender build, wearing an orange hooded sweatshirt and blue jeans.

No injuries were reported at the time of the incident.

The armed robbery at

Lackey remains under investigation by KSP Trooper Shane Hurt.

Anyone with information pertaining to the incident is urged to contact the KSP at (606) 433-7711 or 1-800-222-5555.

GRAY: Services set for Johnson soldier

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William Gray of Van Lear; his mother, Robin Rena Gray of Van Lear; a brother, Dustin Mollett of Olive Hill; a sister, Delaney R. Mollett of Van Lear; his maternal grandparents, Andy and Kathleen Price of Warfield; and his paternal grandmother, Irene Gray of Smithfield, R.I.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be made to the Johnson Central High School Academic Team and Skills U.S.A. by contacting Jones-Preston Funeral Home at (606) 789-3501 or 1-800-789-3501. Donations can also be mailed to Jones-Preston Funeral Home, c/o PFC Joshua Allen Gray, 807 South Mayo Trail, Paintsville, KY 41240.

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Mountain Care Partnership to accept applications through May 23 in region

by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

Mountain Care Partnership, a Christian-based organization from Branson, Mo., will again be assisting eligible recipients in the Big Sandy region with home repairs this summer.

The organization's focus is working families, and Afghanistan and Iraq veterans, in an effort to make life a little better for them.

Joe D. Wojtowicz, founder of the organization, has been a deputy sheriff for a number of years but said he is getting ready to leave the force and commit to the Appalachian area.

"We do simple home repairs, such as floors, roofs, carpeting and linoleum," he said. "We try to meet the physical needs such as if they need school supplies, clothing, basic necessities, depending on the situation. In 2009, when we started, we had three

families and 17 volunteers, but we have grown tremendously and now we have 25 families and 120 volunteers and we still have openings."

Wojtowicz said the organization is Christian-based but not like a mission group that comes in, does repairs and leaves. He said organization members stay in touch with the families that they assist until they see they have gotten on their feet.

"We first have the application process and they have to be working or in public service," Wojtowicz said. "All we ask is that they provide lunch. We enjoy spending time with the families and we also offer educational incentive funds to assist the military family and we do background checks."

The organization is currently serving Johnson, Martin, Floyd and Lawrence counties and also provides scholarships to those who are entering or are in college,

partnering with programs such as the Job Corp to assist students in completing their needed hours.

The organization doesn't receive federal monies and is mainly funded through corporate donations because the work is done for working families. The deadline to apply is May 23.

"We still have openings for nine more families, and it's important to remember it is for veterans who served in Afghanistan or Iraq or they are in a public service job, and they have to be a working family," Wojtowicz said. "The work will be done from July 20-26."

Anyone who thinks they meet the criteria and who is interested in applying for assistance can reach Wojtowicz at (417) 335-5857 and leave a message. They can also e-mail him at upontheline@aol.com. If e-mailing, write "Kentucky Assistance" in the subject line.

MARTIN: Trial begins in fraud case

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ment says. "It was agreed between the Defendant, the mayor, and others in the mayor's administration, that the Defendant would be compensated for her work in a secret manner so that she could continue to draw her disability compensation. The manner chosen to accomplish this was to put her son, Jeremy Pack, on the payroll as if he were working at the Martin Community Center. For a number of years, the Defendant picked up at the mayor's office paychecks made out to her son and used the money as her own by endorsing Jeremy Pack's name on the back of the check and cashing it at the bank. Jeremy Pack did not know his mother was using his name and forging his signature until close to the end of the scheme. At no time did Jeremy Pack approve or ratify the use of his means of identification.

"The funds that were used for payment of the Jeremy Pack payroll checks can be traced directly back to federal funds from a HUD funding source.

HUD regularly provided funds to the Martin Housing Authority for various programs related to housing and housing residents. These funds are in excess of \$10,000 each year. It was a misappropriation of these funds to use them to pay the Defendant for working in the mayor's office. The funds received by the Defendant during each of the years she worked for the mayor were in excess of \$5,000. The Defendant was an agent of the City of Martin."

Court filings by prosecutors say Pack learned that his mother had received money in his name in 2007.

"He protested, and it was his understanding that she quit doing this," Assistant U.S. Attorney Kenneth R. Taylor said in a court document. "It was not until a number of years later that he learned she had not only continued using his name, but had almost tripled the amount of the checks over time. When the FBI came to investigate, Halbert told him to lie to the agents, and he did so reluctantly. Very soon thereafter he came forward with the truth. In the eyes of the prosecution,

Pack is more victim than accomplice and, accordingly, he is not being prosecuted. To the contrary, he is being called as a witness for the prosecution."

The plea agreement also dismisses another pending federal case against Halbert and others, including the former mayor, involving alleged vote buying in the city's last mayoral election.

Halbert is scheduled to be sentenced June 4. The plea deal says the "parties have not stipulated to a sentence guidelines calculation and the defendant acknowledges that the Court will determine the guidelines range after completion of the Presentence Report and the handling of any objections by the parties." "However, the defendant acknowledges that the relevant conduct for purposes of guidelines calculations shall be determined as if the defendant had been convicted of all counts," the agreement says. "The defendant acknowledges that she will be ordered to pay restitution in the amounts and to the entities determined by the Court at sentencing."

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Theft, arson, robbery charges head list of Lawrence County indictments

by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

LOUISA – The Lawrence County Grand Jury issued 16 indictments last week, most of which involved theft charges.

Named in the true bills were:

- Christopher L. Cunningham, 31, and Tommie J. Russell Jr., 31, both of Pikeville, charged with theft by unlawful taking over \$500/complicity and first-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on or before Jan. 20, Cunningham and Russell, allegedly acting alone or in complicity with each other, took six wireless routers from Walmart of Louisa with a value exceeding \$500. Both have been previously convicted of a felony, the indictment said.

- Mary J. Howard, 63, of Martha, charged with first-degree arson.

According to the indictment, on or before Nov. 11, 2013, Howard allegedly started a fire that destroyed and/or damaged the occupied dwelling house of Johanna Mobley, Hannah Mobley and Michael Lewis of Martha.

- Alisha Whitt, 29, and William Whitt, 34, both of Louisa, charged with theft by unlawful taking under \$10,000/complicity.

According to the indictment, on or about Nov. 24, 2013, Alisha Whitt and William D. Whitt, acting alone or in complicity with each other, allegedly took #4 copper electric wire, slicers and ties with a value of \$1,274 owned by American Electric Power (Steve Campbell).

William Whitt is additionally charged with first-degree criminal mischief and second-degree fleeing or evading.

According to the indictment, Whitt also allegedly knowingly and unlawfully damaged electrical equipment owned by American Electric Power with \$2,363 in damages and he knowingly and unlawfully failed to yield to signals and verbal commands given by Lawrence County Sheriff's Deputy Mark Wheeler while he was acting in his official capacity.

He is charged in a second indictment with bail-jumping.

According to the second indictment, on or before Jan. 28, William D. Whitt allegedly, after having been released from custody by the court upon the condition that he appear at a specified time and place, namely an arraignment hearing in connection with theft by unlawful taking under \$10,000, failed to appear at the time and place as ordered by the court.

- Andrew Hodge, 45, and Hope L. Hundley, 26, both of Louisa, charged with second-degree robbery/complicity.

Three fallen Louisa police officers to be recognized

by **Lilly Adkins**
ASSOCIATE EDITOR

LOUISA – Louisa Police Chief Greg Fugitt announced the names of three fallen Lawrence County officers who will be added to the list of those recognized at the 26th annual candlelight vigil during National Police Week in Washington, D.C. May 13.

"Louisa has had four officers die or be killed during the line of duty — one officer, Russell Estep, whose name is already on the memorial, and now three others, including Patrolman Bet Hampton, (June 28, 1937); Patrolman Fred Pack, (May 16, 1946) and Chief Arthur Vinson, (Oct. 13, 1930), will be honored in the same manner," Fugitt said. "Paying honor to these officers is past due and even though I only had a small part in helping this be completed, I am proud to know that the children, grandchildren or great grandchildren of these fine men can have a place to give tribute to the work they have done to protect the citizens of Louisa".

Now that these officers have been approved for the national memorial, they also will be added to the Kentucky Law Enforcement Memorial in Kentucky.

For more information about the National Law Enforcement Memorial, visit www.nleomf.org

According to the indictment, on or about Feb. 6, Hodge and Hundley allegedly acting alone or in complicity with each other, knowingly and unlawfully, while in the course of committing the theft of cash and a cell phone in excess of \$500 from John Whitt of Louisa, used or threatened the immediate use of physical force, in an attempt to accomplish the theft.

- Zachary Jude, 28, of Louisa, charged with second-degree escape and second-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on or before Feb. 5, Jude allegedly knowingly and unlawfully escaped the custody of the 24th Circuit Community Corrections Program by fleeing the approved location of his home incarceration, while placed on court-ordered home incarceration from Johnson circuit Court on bond for pending manufacturing meth, second-degree persistent felony offender and use/possession drug paraphernalia charges. He is also a previously convicted felon, the indictment said.

- Jerry L. Maynard, 31, of Inez, charged with five counts of second-degree criminal possession of a forged instrument and second-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on or about Oct. 8, 2013, Maynard allegedly knowingly and unlawfully was in possession of a forged check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$862.45 cashed at Food City in Louisa. On Oct. 10, 2013, he possessed a forged check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$685.54 cashed at Food City in Louisa, the indictment said, and on Oct. 12, 2013, he possessed a forged check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$862.46 cashed at Food City in Louisa.

In addition, on Oct. 15, 2013, he possessed a forged check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$256.96, cashed at D&J Tobacco in Louisa; and on Oct. 15, 2013, he possessed a forged check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$275.93 cashed at D&J Tobacco in Louisa.

He is also a previously convicted felon, the indictment said.

- Rodney Hicks, no age listed, of Webbville, charged with making a false statement to obtain an increase in his benefit amount over \$100.

According to the indictment, on or before July 13, 2008, through Nov. 8, 2008, Hicks allegedly knowingly and unlawfully made a false statement or representation of a material fact or knowingly failed to disclose a material fact to the secretary to obtain or increase any benefit under this chapter or under an employment security law of any other state, or of the fed-

eral government, either for himself or for any other person, business, entity or organization, for the amount of \$5,969.40.

- Melissa Perkins Hinkle, 27, of Louisa, charged with 10 counts of second-degree forgery and second-degree persistent felony offender.

According to the indictment, on or about Oct. 8, 2013, through Oct. 16, 2013, Hinkle allegedly knowingly and unlawfully created or altered a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$862.45, cashed at Food City in Louisa; a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$685.54 cashed at Food City in Louisa; a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for \$862.46 cashed at Food City in Louisa; a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$256.96 cashed at D&J Tobacco in Louisa; a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$976.54 cashed at Food City in Prestonsburg; and a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$782.54, cashed at Food City in Prestonsburg.

In addition, Hinkle allegedly knowingly and unlawfully created or altered a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered

to Excel Mining for the amount of \$862.46, cashed at Food City in Paintsville; a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$989.62, cashed at Food City in Paintsville; and a check drawn on an account appearing to be registered to Excel Mining for the amount of \$782.54 cashed at Food City in Paintsville.

She is also a previously convicted felon, the indictment said.

- Zachary Raines, 20, of Lowmansville, charged with second-degree burglary.

According to the indictment, on or before Dec. 28, 2012, Raines allegedly knowingly and unlawfully entered the dwelling house of Thomas Jude located at 7400 Highway 1690 in Lowmansville with the intent therein to commit the crime of theft.

- Joseph Kevin Marcum, 37, Anthony J. Caudill, 29, and Natasha Rice, 18, all of Louisa, charged with first-degree possession of a controlled substance and use/possession of drug paraphernalia/complicity.

According to the indictment, on or before Nov. 1, 2013, Marcum, Caudill and Rice, allegedly acting alone or in complicity with each other, knowingly and unlawfully were in possession of a schedule II controlled substance, Oxycodone and a syringe.

Editor's note: An indictment is not an indication of guilt but a determination by a grand jury that criminal charges warrant further judicial review.



John T. Chafin

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My name is John T. Chafin and I am a candidate for District Court Judge serving Johnson, Lawrence, and Martin counties. Growing up as one of seven children, I worked three jobs in order to put myself through college and law school. I understand the importance of hard-work and determination.

I also value fairness and honesty which is what I promise to practice if elected your next District Court Judge. I am a hard-worker and would execute the duties of District Judge in a reliable and trustworthy manner.

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Through the years, I have been an active participant in the lives of our youth through coaching youth soccer, softball, basketball, and baseball. I am an active member of Tom's Creek Freewill Baptist Church, Shriners, Masonic Lodge, as well as, several other civic organizations.



I would greatly appreciate your vote of support and confidence in the May 20th Primary Election.

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Seven specialists complete road program

PIKEVILLE — Seven veteran maintenance specialists from Highway District 12 recently completed the prestigious Road Scholar/Road Master program at the Kentucky Transportation Center of the University of Kentucky College of Engineering.

They were awarded their diplomas by Steve Waddell, state highway engineer with the Kentucky Transportation Cabinet.

Those earning both the Road Master and Road Scholar certifications are Matt Reid, superintendent I, Lawrence County maintenance; Todd Moran, superintendent II, Lawrence County maintenance; Scott Fyffe, highway equipment operator IV, Johnson County maintenance; Lee Little, highway equipment operator IV, Minnie (Floyd County) maintenance; Jeff Anderson, highway equipment operator IV, Allen (Floyd County) maintenance; Tony Fugate, highway equipment operator IV, Letcher County maintenance; and

Shawn Mullins, superintendent I, Canada (Pike County) maintenance.

The Road Scholar program requires courses in work zone management, drainage, safety improvements, traffic management through signals, signs, and markings; managing people, and risk management. Students also take courses in hot-mix asphalt highway construction, construction of concrete and cement, communications, and customer service.

The Road Master program requires classes in snow and ice removal, environmental awareness, leadership skills, and advanced communications. Students also choose three electives from AAA's Defensive Driving class, road construction and drainage plan reading, computer skills, erosion and sediment control, hazardous materials awareness, roadside/vegetation management, and small bridges construction and maintenance.

Attending the luncheon event with the graduates were Mary Westfall-Holbrook, chief district engineer; Darold Slone, project delivery and preservation branch manager; and Cathy Dye, District 12 training coordinator.

"These men have proved that they are committed to excellence in their work," Westfall-Holbrook said. "These men are already high-

ly skilled and experienced heavy equipment operators. The additional education that they each chose to pursue shows that they care about

improving their knowledge and expertise beyond their day-to-day job duties."

Highway District 12's seven counties are Lawrence,

Johnson, Martin, Floyd, Knott, Pike, and Letcher. The district headquarters is in Pikeville. Section offices, each headed by a licensed

professional engineer, are located in Whitesburg, Pikeville, Prestonsburg and Staffordsville.



PICTURED LEFT TO right: Matt Reid, Lawrence County; Cathy Dye, D-12 training coordinator; Todd Moran, Lawrence County; Mary Westfall-Holbrook, chief district engineer; standing, from left, Darold Slone, project delivery and preservation branch manager; Scott Fyffe, Johnson County; Lee Little, Minnie maintenance; Jeff Anderson, Allen maintenance; Tony Fugate, Letcher County maintenance; Shawn Mullins, Canada maintenance; and Steve Waddell, state highway engineer.

Profiles of Ky. counties now available

by **Tony Fyffe**
BSN MANAGING EDITOR

FRANKFORT — The per capita income in Lawrence County is \$16,595, 22.6 percent of Johnson Countians live in poverty, 36 percent of Floyd County residents are eligible for Medicaid and 47.9 percent of Martin Countians voted in the 2012 general election.

Those are some of the facts highlighted in the "Kentucky County Profiles 2014-15" report released last week by the Kentucky Center for Education and Workforce Statistics.

The report contains, economic, employment, social and education statistics for each of Kentucky's 120 counties as well as breakouts of each of the state's Area Development Districts, Workforce Investment Areas, Appalachian and Non-Appalachian regions.

The report, compiled from statistics in the Kentucky Longitudinal Data System and a variety of federal, state and independent data sources, is the first since 2010. One of the most significant changes since the last report is the addition of comparison information between Kentucky's Appalachian and Non-Appalachian regions.

"This new report highlights some of the problems facing our Appalachian counties," said Charles McGrew, who heads up KCEWS. "For example, adults in Appalachian Kentucky are nearly twice as likely to have less than a high school diploma and only half as likely to have a bachelor's degree or above than their non-Appalachian counterparts."

The report shows that 26.3 percent of adults in the Appalachian Region have less than a high school diploma or equivalent, compared to 14.2 percent in the Non-Appalachian Region.

It also says that 37.3 percent of Appalachian Region adults have a high school diploma or equivalent, compared to 32.8 percent of adults in the Non-Appalachian Region.

The Appalachian Region has a total population of 1,180,101, according to the report, while the Non-Appalachian Region's population is 3,200,314.

In the Non-Appalachian Region, 16.1 percent live in poverty compared to 25.1 percent in the Appalachian Region.

The total population in the Big Sandy Area Development District, which includes Johnson, Floyd, Martin, Magoffin and Pike counties, is 152,294. The population in the FIVCO ADD, which is comprised of Lawrence, Boyd, Carter, Greenup and Elliott counties, is 136,847.

In the Big Sandy ADD, 26.4 percent live in poverty, compared to 20.4 percent in the FIVCO ADD.

The report shows that 19.9 percent of adults in the FIVCO district have less than a high school diploma, compared to 29.2 percent in the Big Sandy ADD.

According to the report, 37.8 percent of adults in the FIVCO ADD and 35.8 in the Big Sandy district have a high school diploma.

For a copy of the report, visit the KCEWS Web site at <http://www.kcews.ky.gov>.

Inspired Dreams

Childhood dreams can come true. Just ask Nichole Stamper and James Rice. Twenty years ago, the childhood friends from Russell dreamed of careers in medicine. Today, Nichole is a registered nurse and educator and Dr. Rice is an orthopaedic spine surgeon at King's Daughters.

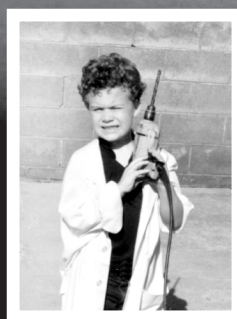
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Obituaries

Pansy Marie Frazier 1923-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Pansy Marie Frazier, 90, of Live Oak, Fla., died Saturday, Feb. 22, at Some Place Like Home Assisted Living Facility, Jacksonville, Fla.

Born April 8, 1923, at Wheelwright, she was the daughter of the late Joe and Evoline Hall Little. She was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Wallace Rudolph Frazier; a brother, Alvin Little; and two sisters, Edith Maness and Phoebe Maness.

Survivors include a daughter, Vicki Stewart of Jacksonville; a sister, Geneva Adams of Christiansburg, Va.; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be noon Friday, Feb. 28, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Visitation will be after 6 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 27, at the funeral home. Burial will be in Frazier Family Cemetery, Price, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Rusha Blair 1915-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Rusha Blair, 98, of Paintsville, died Saturday, Feb. 27, at Mountain Manor Nursing Home, Paintsville.

Born March 1, 1915, in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late Leonard and Anna Howell Blair. She was a factory worker.

She was also preceded in death by a son, Lloyd Blair; three brothers, Ray Blair, Joe Blair and Eickel Blair; and four sisters, Lucy Wright, Dora Auxier, Ethel Spencer and Hazel Cline.

Funeral services were Monday, Feb. 24, at Jones-Preston Funeral Home Chapel, with Hubert Slone officiating. Burial was in Blair Family Cemetery, East Point, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Myrtle Estep Burchett 1917-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Myrtle Estep Burchett, 96, of Paintsville, died Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Paul B. Hall Medical Center, Paintsville.

Born Sept. 11, 1917, at Fuget, she was the daughter of the late Elzie and Racheal Savannah Estep. She was a retired postmaster.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Ray "Bromley" Burchett.

Survivors include a daughter, Pat Patton of Paintsville; two grandchildren; and a great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Saturday, Feb. 22, at Bethel United Baptist Church, with Harlan Burnett, Johnny Curtis and David Young officiating. Burial was in Highland Memorial Park,

Staffordsville, under direction of Paintsville Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Gary David Clark 1942-2014

OHIO — Gary David Clark, 71, of Celina, Ohio, died Monday, Feb. 3, at Joint Township District Memorial Hospital, St. Mary's.

Born April 29, 1942, at Sitka, he was the son of the late Melvin and Shirley Stambaugh Clark.

Survivors include his wife, Sheila Clark; five sons, David Randall Clark of Charley, Gary Wayne Clark of Indiana, Scott Clark of Celina, Michael Clark of Cincinnati, Ohio, and Tony Clark of Ohio; a daughter, Kimberly Keefer of Celina; two brothers, Gordie Clark of Sitka and Harvey Clark of Columbus, Ohio; three sisters, Sharon Fyffe of Red Bush, Malinda Lemaster of Flat Gap and Charlene Jackson of Gallipolis, Ohio; and several grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, Feb. 6, at W.H. Dicks and Sons-Hellwarth Funeral Home, Celina.

Phyllis Hamilton Hatfield 1950-2014

PIKE COUNTY — Phyllis Hamilton Hatfield, 63, of Pikeville, died Sunday, Feb. 23, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born Nov. 29, 1950, in Floyd County, she was the daughter of the late Paul and Dollie Johnson Hamilton. She was retired from Cato's and attended the Old Regular Baptist Church.



Survivors include her husband, James Hatfield; three

brothers, Hayes Hamilton of Beaver, John B. Hamilton of Teaberry and Thomas Ray Hamilton of East Point; and two sisters, Ruby Hamilton of Xenia, Ohio, and Pluma Newsom of Albion, Mich.

Funeral services will be 11 a.m. Thursday, Feb. 27, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial will be in Floyd Hatfield Cemetery, McCarr, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Rodrick "Pete" Mollette 1932-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Rodrick "Pete" Mollette, 81, of Boons Camp, died Sunday, Feb. 16.

Born March 4, 1932, at Boons Camp, he was the son of the late Willie and Elva Butcher Mollette. He was a coal truck driver and member of Trace Fork United Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Birdie Hall Mollette; three sons, Rodrick Mollette Jr. and Tracy Mollette, both of Boons Camp, and Travis Mollette of Meally; three daughters, Sherry Crum of Williamsport, Sandra Cook of Meally and Lana Slone of Grapevine; four brothers, Claude Mollette and Emory Mollette, both of Tomahawk, Ronald Dean Mollette and James Dennis Mollette, both of Boons Camp; five sisters, Georgia Burnett of Manchester, Tenn., Wanda Daniels, Teresa Daniels and Betty Spears, all of Tomahawk, and Conda Mollette of Boons Camp; 22 grandchildren; and 18 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services will be 1 p.m. today, Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Trace Fork United Baptist Church, with Marvin Daniels, Johnny Mollett and Claude Mollette officiating. Burial will be in Pete Mollette Cemetery, Boons Camp, under direction of Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

London "Booter" Shepherd 1958-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — London "Booter" Shepherd, 56, of Hueysville, died Sunday, Feb. 16, at his residence.



Born Jan. 18, 1958, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Virgil and Mabel Shepherd. He was retired from Consolidated Coal Company.

He was also preceded in death by a brother, Gorman Shepherd.

Survivors include a daughter, Vanessa Shepherd of Lexington; a brother, Sheldon Shepherd of Royalton; and a sister, Wilma Whitaker of Hueysville.

Graveside services were Saturday, Feb. 22, in Shepherd Family Cemetery, Hueysville, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Irene Robinson Griffey 1930-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Irene Robinson Griffey, 84, of Prestonsburg, died Tuesday, Feb. 18, at her residence.

Born Jan. 8, 1930, in Martin County, she was the daughter of the late Sam

and Stella McCoy Robinson. She worked for Highlands Regional Medical Center and was a member of the Old Beaver Old Regular Baptist Church, Minnie.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Ira Robinson; and a sister, Ivory Robinson.

Survivors include her husband, Paul Griffey; two daughters, Patsy Goble and Phyllis Kilgore, both of Prestonsburg; two grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday, Feb. 21, at Old Beaver Old Regular Baptist Church, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was in Griffey Cemetery, Prestonsburg, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Carol Wells Davis 1942-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Carol Wells Davis, 71, of Lowmansville, died Monday, Feb. 17, at her residence.



Born Dec. 25, 1942, in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late Charles Arthur and Jenny Ward Wells. She retired from American Standard Plant.

She was also preceded in death by three brothers, Jerry Wells, Charles "Chuck" Wells and Paul Wells; and two sisters, Lois Wells and Janet Vance.

Survivors include three sons, Joey Hobson of Staffordsville, and Jimmy Hobson and Ned Davis, both of Lowmansville; a sister, Francis Honaker of Bowling Green; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, Feb. 20, at Jones-Preston Funeral Chapel, with Ed Stephens and Larry Blair officiating. Burial was in Lakeview Memorial Cemetery, Staffordsville, under direction of Jones-Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Jimmy Collins 1951-2014

MARTIN COUNTY — Jimmy Collins, 62, of Warfield, died Tuesday, Feb. 18, at his residence.

Born Feb. 22, 1951, in Martin County, he was the son of the late Jeff and Ruth Jude Collins.

He was also preceded in death by a brother, John Bud Collins; and three sisters,

Lucille Raines, Rose Patrick and Darlene Preece.

Survivors include four daughters, Barbara Thomas, Amber Mollhan and Jodi Collins, all of Columbus, Ohio, and Bobbie Lee Messer of Dunlow, W.Va.; a brother, Ronald Collins of Warfield; seven sisters, Becky Patrick of Inez, Leatha Smith and Ima Parsons, both of Warfield, Ina Grace Yount of Missouri, Mary Cline of Lovely, Debra Collins and Odessa Fields, both of Columbus; eight grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday, Feb. 21, at Phelps and Son Funeral Home Chapel, with Neal Patrick officiating. Burial was in Robinson, Scott and Friends Cemetery, Meathouse, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Inez.

Dorothy Mae Slone 1957-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Dorothy Mae Slone 56, of Prestonsburg, formerly of Inez, died Monday, Feb. 17, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born Feb. 24, 1959, in Martin County, she was the daughter of Waueka Delong. She was a homemaker.

Additional survivors include two daughters, Danielle Miller of Prestonsburg and Melissa Meade of Virginia Beach, Va.; two sisters, Cathy Parsons of Inez and Charlotte Albert of Marion, Ohio; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Thursday, Feb. 20, at Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, with Chad Blair offici-

ating. Burial was in Slone Cemetery, Inez, under direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, Inez.

Bessie Leanore Laney 1926-2014

LAWRENCE COUNTY — Bessie Leanore Laney, 87 of Louisa, died Monday, Feb. 17, at Three Rivers Medical Center, Louisa.

Born Feb. 18, 1926, in Lawrence County, she was the daughter of the late Dave and Nora Dove F r a l e y Fitch. She was a homemaker and member of the Richardson Chapel Primitive Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Walter Milton Laney; three sons, David, Melvin and Mikey; a daughter, Janie; and four grandchildren.

Survivors include four daughters, Junell May, Annie Dutton, Louella Stepp and Mickey Rose, all of Louisa; a brother, Milton Fitch of Louisa; 19 grandchildren; 26 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday, Feb. 1, at Richardson Chapel Primitive Baptist Church, with Brad Dutton and Tommy Meade officiating. Burial was in Laney Cemetery, Richardson, under direction of Wilson Funeral Home, Louisa.



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Lucreasey Parsley Marcum 1930-2014

OHIO — Lucreasey Parsley Marcum, 83, of Ohio, died Monday, Feb. 24 at St. Ann's Hospital, Westerville, Ohio.

Born July 18, 1930, in Crum, W.Va., she was the daughter of the late Leo and Bertha Spaulding Parsley.

Lucreasey was a devoted wife, mother and grandmother whose life revolved around her family and friends. She also took great pleasure in singing, dancing, gardening and garage sales. She will live in our hearts forever.

She was also preceded in death by a sister, Laura Bell Marcum; three brothers, James, Grover and Elmer Parsley; and a daughter-in-law, Linda Blaker Marcum.

Survivors include her husband of 68 years, Alonzo Marcum; two sons, Clyde and Sherman (Ann) Marcum; a daughter, Barbara (Gary) Steele; grandchildren,

Lisa (Brad) Gerwig, Justin (Lisa) Marcum, Sherman (Tiffanie) Marcum, Jennifer (Ed) Miller, Stacie (Aaron) Taylor, Ryan Steele, Emily (Travis) Cordes and David (Jessica) Steele; 12 great-grandchildren; and three sisters, Emma Lee (Bill) Chaffin, Gladys (Harold) Gillman and Irene (Dallas) Robinson.

Friends may call 4-7 p.m., Thursday, Feb. 27, at Schoedinger Northeast Chapel, Gahanna, Ohio, and 10 a.m.-1 p.m., Saturday, March 1 at Young Funeral Home, 201 W. Main St., Louisa.

Funeral services will be held at 1 p.m., Saturday, March 1, at Young Funeral Home. Burial will be in Christian Cemetery, Fort Gay, W.Va.

Contributions in Lucreasey's memory may be made to Countryview of Sunbury, Activity Fund, 14961 N. Old 3C Rd., Sunbury, Ohio 43074. Visit www.choedinger.com to share a favorite memory or send condolences, under direction of Young Funeral Home, Louisa.

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Obituaries

Sandy Boyd 1949-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Sandy Boyd, 65, of Floyd County, died Tuesday, Feb. 18, at his residence.

Born Jan. 26, 1949, at Dana, he was the son of Lillian Jarrell Boyd and the late Wilford Boyd. He was a retired teacher and U.S. Army veteran.

He was also preceded in death by a son, Sandy Boyd Jr.; and a sister, Mary Jane Bailey.

Survivors include his wife, Toni Allen Boyd; three sons, Mitchell T. Boyd of Dana, Eric Reid of Drift and Jesse James Sword of Prestonsburg; four daughters, Stacy Akers of Somerset, Brittany Boyd of Irvine, Janie Lee Boyd of Lexington and Nichole Reid of Prestonsburg; three brothers: Randy Boyd and Tavis Boyd, both of Dana, and Billis Boyd of Loraine, Ohio; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services were Friday, Feb. 21, at Hall Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Wilford Boyd Cemetery, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Lois Evelyn Grainger 1936-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Lois Evelyn Grainger, 77, of Prestonsburg, died Wednesday, Feb. 19, at Highlands Regional Medical Center, Prestonsburg.

Born April 11, 1936, at Irvine, she was the daughter of the late Charles and Cora King Lunsford. She was a member of the Jacks Creek Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by two brothers, Franklin and Pleas Benjamin Lunsford; and two sisters, Sarah Elizabeth Rumping and Donna Sue Lunsford.

Survivors include her husband, Paul D. Grainger; two sons, Michael Douglas Grainger of Lake City, Tenn., and Eric Paul Grainger of Oakwood, Ga.; three daughters, Angela Faith Talbott of Somerset, Kimberly Hope Simpson and Lisa Love Grainger, both of Prestonsburg; 12 grandchildren; nine great-grandchildren; and a great-great-grandchild.

Funeral services were Friday, Feb. 21, at Hall Funeral Home Chapel, with Jennings West officiating. Burial was in Gethsemane Gardens, Prestonsburg, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Doris LeMaster 1931-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Doris LeMaster, 82, of Rome, died Tuesday, Feb. 18, in Rome.

Born Dec. 12, 1931, in Johnson County, she was the daughter of the late Ervin and Nellie Castle Preston. She was a member of the Shilo United Baptist Church.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Estil LeMaster.

Survivors include a daughter, Denise DuCharme of Rome; a brother, Carlos Preston of River; two sisters, Gloria June Daniel of Atlanta, Ga., and Kay Grim of River.

Graveside services were Saturday, Feb. 22, in Castle Cemetery, River, with Kenny Pelphrey officiating, under direction of Preston Funeral Home, Paintsville.

Alvin Lee Newsome 1951-2014

WEST VIRGINIA — Alvin Lee Newsome, 62, of Marrowbone, W.Va., died Tuesday, Feb. 18, in Naugatuck, W.Va.

Born May 15, 1951, in



West Virginia, he was the son of the late Floyd and Carrie Brewer Newsome.

He was also preceded in death by two sons, Lloyd and Steven Newsome; a sister, Sharon Booth; and a brother, Edward Newsome.

Survivors include his wife, Judith Mahon Newsome; a son, Alvin Newsome of Genoa, W.Va.; two daughters, Ashley Mahon of Sandusky, Ohio, and Kiersten Newsome of Kermit, W.Va.; four brothers, Dave Newsome, Danny Newsome, Ronald Newsome and Doug Newsome; four sisters, Mary Dingess, Josephine Newsome, Pamela Newsome and Violet Newsome; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were Saturday, Feb. 22, at Light-house Community Church, Kermit, with Keith Brumfield and others officiating. Burial was in Brewer Cemetery, Kermit, under direction of Richmond-Callahan Funeral Home, Inez.

Kermit Eugene Paige 1949-2014

FLOYD COUNTY — Kermit Eugene Paige, 64, of Columbus, Ohio, formerly of Floyd County, died Wednesday, Feb. 19.



Born Aug. 8, 1949, in Floyd County, he was the son of the late Bill and Ocie Tackett Paige. He was a Kentucky Colonel and self-employed.

He was also preceded in death by a brother, Luther Paige.

Survivors include two sons, Kermit Bell Jr. of McDowell, and Jamie Risner of Columbus; two daughters, Amelia "Rusty" Paige of Grethel and Donna Shae Fen of Columbus; and eight grandchildren.

Funeral services were Monday, Feb. 24, at Church of God of Prophecy, Ligon, with Jay Bob Tackett officiating. Burial was in Elliott Cemetery, Beaver, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Floyd Jude 1948-2014

MARTIN COUNTY — Floyd Jude, 65, of Warfield, died Thursday, Feb. 20, at Pikeville Medical Center.

Born May 19, 1948, in Martin County, he was the son of the late Harrison and Ollie Maynard Jude.



He was also preceded in death by several brothers and sisters.

Survivors include his wife, Menalee Luther Jude; a son, Floyd Jude Jr. of Lovely; two daughters, Misty Jude of Lee County and Breezy Jude of Rock House; three brothers, Joseph Jude of Waverly, Ohio, Charles E. Jude of Hode and Lacey Jude of Huntsville; two sisters, Virgie Fletcher of Tomahawk and Vicki Luther of Lovely; and 11 grandchildren.

Funeral services were Sunday, Feb. 23, at Golden Springs Church, Stone-coal, W.Va., with Billy Messer, Andy Jude, and Maurice Mills officiating. Burial was in Evans and Muncy Cemetery, Emily Creek, under direction of Phelps and Son Funeral Home, Inez.

Docie Hall 1931-2014

KNOTT COUNTY — Docie Hall, 82, of Kite, died Saturday, Feb. 22, at Parkview Nursing and Rehab.

Born Feb. 15, 1931, at Kite, she was the daughter of the late Dewey and Gladys Hall.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, Denver Hall.

Survivors include two brothers, Shannon Hall of



Conroe, Texas, and Dennis Hall of Waterford, Mich.; and two sisters, Sally Mae Sturgill of Dema and Virginia Amburgey of Rolling Meadows, Ill.

Funeral services were Tuesday, Feb. 25, at Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, with Old Regular Baptist ministers officiating. Burial was in Levi Paige Cemetery, Kite, under direction of Nelson-Frazier Funeral Home, Martin.

Ricky Dale Mullins 1962-2014

JOHNSON COUNTY — Ricky Dale Mullins, 51, of East Point, died Friday, Feb. 21, at his residence.

Born June 27, 1962, at Pikeville, he was the son of James "Pete" Mullins of Grethel and Mellie Stevens Mullins of Pikeville.



He was preceded in death by a daughter, Candi Elizabeth Mullins.

Additional survivors include his wife, Sherry Robin Sifers Mullins; stepmother, Joann Mullins of Grethel; a brother, James Orville Mullins of Pikeville; and a grandchild.

Funeral services were Monday, Feb. 24, at Hall Funeral Home Chapel. Burial was in Bentley Family Cemetery, Teaberry, under direction of Hall Funeral Home, Martin.

Linda Lou Smith 1942-2014

LAWRENCE COUNTY — Linda Lou Smith, 72, of Peach Orchard, Lawrence County, died Saturday, Feb. 22.

Born Jan. 11, 1942, at Pomeroy, Ohio, she was the daughter of the late Hollis and Letha Marie Little Clark. She was a homemaker and member of the Inez Church of God.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Robert Smith.

Survivors include three daughters, Debra Marcum, Angela Preece and Robin A. Smith, all of Louisa; a son, Gregory Lee Smith of Louisa; three sisters, Mary, Martha, and Barb; a brother, Dana; nine grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were Tuesday, Feb. 25, at Wilson Funeral Home, with Larry Joe Bayes officiating. Burial was in Smith Cemetery, Peach Orchard, under direction of Wilson Funeral Home, Louisa.

Maxine Fordham 1936-2014

OHIO — Maxine Fordham, 77, of Columbus, Ohio, died Friday, Feb. 21, at Riverside Methodist Hospital.

Born April 7, 1936, in West Virginia, she was the daughter of the late Harless and Grace Chaffin Evans. She was a member of the North Columbus Baptist Church and retired from Huntington National Bank.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Eugene Fordham; and a son, Kenneth Lee Fordham.

Survivors include a daughter, Sandra Fordham of Columbus; four brothers, Curtis Evans and Clyde

Evans, both of Fort Gay, W.Va.; Jack Evans of Ohio and Larry Evans of Crum, W.Va.; five grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

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Funeral services were Tuesday, Feb. 25, at Novak Funeral Home, with Daniel Wolvin officiating. Burial

was in Union Cemetery, Columbus, under direction of Novak Funeral Home, Columbus.

Church Corner

Old Path Baptist Church

A benefit gospel sing will be held at the Old Path Baptist Church of Blaine, Saturday, March 1, beginning at 7 p.m. Several groups will be singing. The Singing Servants will be singing during the 7 p.m., services on Saturday, March 8. Pastor Burl Lewis welcomes everyone to attend.

Myrtle Chapel Church

Myrtle Chapel Non-Denominational Community Church, located on top of Five Forks Hill, Louisa, has services every Sunday beginning with Sunday School at 10 a.m., followed by morning worship at 11 a.m. Services are also held every Thursday at 7 p.m. For information, call 606-673-4327. Pastor John May welcomes everyone to all services. From Louisa, take Route 3, turn left on Five Forks, from Fallsburg, turn right on Five Forks Road.

Fort Gay Church of God

Services are held at the Fort Gay Church of God each week, beginning with Sunday School at 10 a.m., evening worship at 6 p.m.; Wednesday evening at 7 p.m., is family training hour and adult Bible study and youth service. Everyone is welcome by Pastor Douglas Wilhite and Assistant Pastor Randy Smith. The church is located on Vancouver Street, behind the post office.

The Independent Church of God

The Independent Church of God has services every Wednesday and Sunday, 6 p.m. The church is located off Rt. 32 on Rt. 1760, Louisa, 4 miles on the left. For information, call 606-652-9287, 652-3206, or 606-788-9346. Pastor Glen DeLong.

Rising Son Church

Services are held each week at Rising Son Church, 114 Rising Son Lane, Prestonsburg, beginning with

Sunday worship at 11 a.m.; Wednesday worship at 6:30 p.m. Pastor D.P. Curry welcomes everyone.

Fort Gay Church of Christ

The Fort Gay Church of Christ will have services every week. Sunday meetings will be at 10 a.m. for Bible study, 11 a.m., for worship; evening at 6 p.m.; Monday-Thursday, services at 7 p.m. Everyone is welcome to attend. The church is located on Cedar Heights Road, off Tolsia Highway, Fort Gay. For information, or need a ride, call 304-648-5531.

Spencer Freewill Baptist Church

Spencer Freewill Baptist Church, 1145 Hwy. 1760, Louisa, will have regular services the first and fourth Saturday of each month, beginning at 7 p.m., and every Sunday with Sunday School at 10 a.m., and worship services at 11 a.m. Pastor Roger Ross welcomes everyone to attend.

Macedonia Community Church

Services are held every week at Macedonia Community Church, 104 North Lackey Ave., Louisa. Sunday School at 10 a.m., with worship at 11 a.m. Pastor John Deboard welcomes everyone. For information, call 606-638-3964.

Emmanuel Baptist Church

Emmanuel Baptist Church, 45 Emmanuel Circle, across the road from

Hester Jane Carpenter 1923-2014

LAWRENCE COUNTY — Hester Jane Carpenter, 90, of Louisa, passed away Saturday, Feb. 15, at Three Rivers Medical Center, Louisa.

She was born April 24, 1923, in Clifford, the daughter of the late Floyd and Mary Louvena McHenry Hughes. She

was a homemaker.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, Bob Carpenter.

Survivors include nieces, nephews and cousins.

Graveside funeral services were 1 p.m., Friday, Feb. 21.

Burial was in Carpenter Cemetery, Cherryville, under direction of Young Funeral Home, Inc., Louisa.

Citizens NATIONAL BANK

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK OF PAINTSVILLE, PAINTSVILLE, KENTUCKY

WHEREAS,

Harold D. "Boone" Ward was a resident of Hager Hill, Kentucky; a Director Emeritus of Citizens National Bank and Citizens National Corporation, Paintsville, Kentucky;

WHEREAS,

Harold D. "Boone" Ward was past President and CEO, and owner of Rainbow Homes and was a dedicated and much respected member of the Citizens National Corporation and Bank Boards, serving diligently from October 1998 to his retirement in April 2012;

WHEREAS,

Harold D. "Boone" Ward departed this life January 27, 2014; and was preceded in death by his father, Burl Ward, and his wife, Edwinna Ward, and one son, Harold Douglas Ward Jr.;

WHEREAS,

Harold D. "Boone" Ward is survived by his mother, Erma Lee Hayes Ward of Hager Hill; one daughter, Lisa Johnson of Pikeville; one brother, Mike Ward of Prestonsburg; one sister, Sharon Scott of Offutt; three grandchildren; and one grandchild.

NOW THEREFORE

the Board of Directors of Citizens National Bank, resolves to recognize and pay tribute to the life of Mr. Harold D. "Boone" Ward and honor him by recording this resolution in the board minutes with a copy to be mailed to his family, and a copy to be published in the local paper.

Unanimously adopted by the Board of Directors of Citizens National Bank of Paintsville, Kentucky, on February 18, 2014.

Gregory Meade,
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JOHNSON COUNTY

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CHURCH OF CHRIST Powell Addition, Van Lear. Worship services 10 a.m. each Sun. Wed. services 7 p.m. Minister Earl Ferguson, 789-7552.

FAIRVIEW FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Sun. school 10 a.m., morning services at 11 a.m.; 1st & 3rd Sun. night service 6 p.m.; Youth group 1st & 3rd Sun. at 4:30; Wed. services 7 p.m. Pastor Joe Harman.

OLD LOG CHURCH - Daniels Creek, Rt. 3. Richard Music, pastor. Sun. School 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m., Thursday service 7 p.m. Singing first Sat. of month, 7 p.m. Business meeting 2nd Sat. of month, 7 p.m.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 514 Main St., Paintsville. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., Worship 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. Minister Wesley Stedefeld, 789-4480.

OIL SPRINGS FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH 11793 KY Route 580, Staffordsville. Sun. Morning Worship 11 a.m., Wed. Fellowship 6 p.m., Study Service 6:30 p.m., Youth Practice 6:30 p.m., Pastor Chad Blair.

OIL SPRINGS METHODIST CHURCH Sun. school 10:00 a.m., Sun. Worship 11 a.m. Bible study Wednesday 6:45 p.m. Rev. John Back.

RIVER BAPTIST CHURCH. Located at River, Ky. Sunday worship every Sunday at 11 a.m. Pastor Arnold Fletcher.

FLAT GAP BAPTIST CHURCH Sun. services 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. Youth services Wed 7 p.m. Business meeting third Sat. 7 p.m. Pastor Robert Blanton.

POINT PLEASANT ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH Barn Rock Road, Flat Gap. Regular services first Sat. night 7 p.m., and Sun. 11 a.m.; 2nd & 4th Sundays at 6 p.m.

PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF CHRIST John's Creek. Sun. school 10 a.m., communion 11 a.m., Worship 11:15 a.m. and 7 p.m. Wed. prayer meeting 7 p.m. Minister Greg Nicholas, 789-1649.

CALVARY CHURCH OF GOD 218 Pine St., Paintsville. Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. Worship 11:00 a.m., Sun. 6 p.m., DST, and 7 p.m. thereafter. Pastor Chester Keathley.

CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP CENTER P.O. Box 105, Wittenville, Ky. Donald Bartley, pastor, 3 1/2 miles north of Paintsville on U.S. 23. Wed. night prayer meeting 7 p.m., Sun. Worship Super Church service 11 a.m. Full gospel word church.

CANNON CHAPEL ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH Pastor, Leonard Caudill, 297-2837. Sun. service 11 a.m. Sun. evening at 7 p.m. (1st & 3rd Sun.) Reg. meeting, 4th Sat. night, 7 p.m.

RAMEY BRANCH COMMUNITY GOSPEL CHURCH Rt. 172, Volga, Ky. Pastor, Dervil Mollette, 297-6024. Worship every Sun., 7 p.m.; Sun. school 10 a.m.; Sun. Worship 11 a.m.; youth meeting Wed., 7 pm; Women Christian Community Circle 1st Mon. night at 7 p.m. Church every Sun. night except 2nd Sun. Church & business meeting every 2nd Sat. night. For bus transportation, call 297-6024.

WEST VAN LEAR MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH Clay Ave., W. Van Lear. Pastor, Garmon D. Preece. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., training union 6 p.m. Sun. evening 7 p.m.; Wed. Bible study 7 p.m.

FIRST CHURCH OF GOD 8th

& Broadway, Paintsville. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Children's church 11:15 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m.; Wed. prayer 7 p.m. Pastor, Dan Heaberlin.

PAINTSVILLE UNITED BAPTIST CHURCH 2nd & Church St., regular meetings 4th Sat., 6:30 p.m. & Sun. 10 a.m., every Sun. 6:30 p.m. Prayer meeting Wed. 6:30 p.m. Pastor, John Pelphrey, asst. pastor Edward Blanton.

HOUSE OF REFUGE/THE PLACE OF NEW BEGINNINGS: 416 Main St., Paintsville, phone 789-9989. Sun. Morning Worship 11 a.m., Sun. evening, 6 p.m., Wed. Worship 7:00 p.m. Pastors: Mike and Doris Blevins.

BAKER BRANCH FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Tutor Key, Ky. Sun. school 9:45 a.m. every Sun., church service 11 a.m. C.T.S./Bible study Wed. 7 p.m., regular service 2nd Sat. and 1st & 4th Sun. nights, 7 p.m. Pastor, Roger VanHoose, phone 789-3699.

VAN LEAR FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Van Lear. Pastor, Paul Wayne Browning. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., Sun. 7 p.m., Wed. prayer service 7 p.m.

PIGEON ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH Oil Springs. Sunday School 9:30 a.m., Sunday morning worship 11 a.m., Sunday 7 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m., regular services first Sat. & Sun. monthly.

BALLOT PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF CHRIST Located on new 460 east, across from Pepsi Cola plant. Sun. school 10 a.m., morning Worship 11 a.m., Sun. evening 7 p.m., Tues. prayer service 7 p.m., every 3rd Sat. 7 p.m. Pastor Terry Lykins.

CHRIST FREEDOM WORSHIP CENTER: Sunday School, 10 a.m.; services, 11 a.m.; Worship, Sunday, 6 p.m.; Wednesday, services at 7 p.m. U.S. 23 Hager Hill, Paintsville. Pastor Jim Daniels.

CONCORD INDEPENDENT CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST 321 South, Hager Hill. Rev. Steve Rose, 265-3382. Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. Worship 11 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m., Wed. 7 p.m. Church phone 788-0323.

BIG MUD LICK FIRST CHURCH OF GOD. Rt. 172, Staffordsville. Sunday School 10 a.m., morning service 11 a.m., evening service 6 p.m., Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor Phillip Keeton.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH 1320 N. Lake Dr. (next to Jerry's Restaurant), Prestonsburg. Sun. school (all ages) 9:30 a.m., Sun. Worship 11 a.m. Sun. adult Bible study 6:30 p.m. Pastor George Love.

ROCKHOUSE FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Rt. 460, Staffordsville. Pastor, Rev. Richard Williams, 789-5591. Sun. school 10 am, Sun. Worship 11 a.m., Wed. prayer service 7 pm.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Rt. 40 East, Meally, Ky. Sun. Bible study 10 a.m., Sun. Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m.

MAYO UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Pastor Rev. John Boyd, 789-3296. Sun. school 9:30 a.m., Worship 10:45 a.m., evening praises 6 p.m. GROW Wed. evenings 6 p.m. Activities available for all age levels.

MEALLY FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH: Sunday School 10 a.m.; Sun. worship 11 a.m.; Youth service 3rd Sunday at 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible study and CTS class 7 p.m. (classes for all ages). Pastor Greg Coleman.

CHESTNUT GROVE ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH U.S. 23, Lowmansville, Ky. 297-6200. Regular meeting time is 3rd Sat. at 7 p.m., Sun. school 9:45 a.m., Worship 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. each Sun.; 7 p.m. Thursday. Pastor Terry Conley, 789-1817.

STAFFORDSVILLE FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH 750 Little Mud Lick Rd., Staffordsville. 606-297-5221. Sun. school 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. prayer meeting 7 p.m.; Youth group every other Tues. at 6:30 p.m. Pastor Jim Price. Asst. pastor Doug Cridler.

RICEVILLE FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Riceville, Ky. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., Sun. Worship 11 a.m., Sun. night 6 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. Regular meeting 2nd Sat. 7 p.m. Pastor Joe Scott, assistant

pastor Danny Ward.

LIBERTY BAPTIST CHURCH (Southern Baptist) Rt. 825, Denver, Ky. 41215. Services Sun.: Sun. school 10 a.m.; morning Worship, 11 a.m.; evening Worship, 7:00 p.m.; Wed. prayer meeting and Bible study, 7:00 p.m. Pastor Robert Collins.

WEST VAN LEAR CHURCH OF CHRIST Sun. school, 10 a.m.; Sun. morning Worship 11 a.m.; Sun. evening service, 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible study, 6:00 p.m. Bible classes available for all ages. Speaker, Joseph David Blevins.

SITKA FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Rt. 201, Sitka, Ky. Regular church time 3rd Sat. 7 p.m.; every Sun. Worship 11 a.m.; Sun. school 10 a.m.; Sun. night Worship, 2nd and 4th Sun. of each month at 6 p.m. Youth meeting, Mon. 6:30 p.m., Prayer meeting Wed. 7 p.m.; Pastor Rev. Jim McKenzie, 265-3461.

WALNUT GROVE FREEWILL BAPTIST Ulysses, Ky. Sun. school 10 a.m. Worship service 11 a.m. Service held each Tues. & Sun. night 7 p.m. Service held first Sat. of each month at 7 p.m. Pastor Harold Stevens.

ST. MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC CHURCH 720 Washington Ave., Paintsville, 789-4455. Father Terence Hoppenjans; Mass times Sat. 5:30 p.m.; Sun. 9:30 a.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH College and Third St., Paintsville. Sun. school 9:45 a.m. Sun. Worship 11 a.m., Wed. prayer 7 p.m.

GRACE POINTE CHURCH Johnson/Lawrence county line. Sun. School 10 a.m., services 11 a.m., Wednesday Bible Study 6:30 p.m. Pastor Bill and Alice Stalen.

MAZIE BAPTIST CHURCH Martha, Ky. First Sat. night of each month, 7:30, first Sun. of each month 11 a.m. Each Tues. & Sun. at 7:30 p.m. Pastor Richard Barker.

PAINTSVILLE HOUSE OF PRAYER 1434 Conley Branch, U.S. 460, Staffordsville, Ky., located about 1 mile below John Gray's on right. Sun. School 10 a.m., Sun. worship 11 a.m., Wednesday prayer meeting 7 p.m. Pastor Andy Dillon.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Van Lear. Sun. services 10:00 a.m., Wednesday prayer meeting 7 p.m. Pastor Andy Dillon.

TUTOR KEY ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH Services Sun. morning at 11 a.m. Second and fourth Sun. night at 6 p.m. Service and business meeting first Saturday at 7 p.m. Pastor Arthur Todd Scarberry.

PAINTSVILLE BRANCH, THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS Wittenville, Ky. Kevin Spurlock, Branch President, 813-6717; 1st counselor, Thomas Bowman, 297-3030; 2nd counselor, Charles Watkins 349-4743; President Elders Quorum, President, Bill Plank 371-2849. Priesthood Executive Secretary, John M. Wheeler 789-3240. Relief Society & Priesthood Meetings, 10 a.m. Sun.. Sun. School 11 a.m. Sun. Sacrament Meeting Sun. 12 a.m. to 1 p.m.

COLISTA FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Hagerhill. Phone 789-5585. Toby Johnson, pastor. Sun. school 9:45, Sun. Worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m. Wed. night service 7 p.m., regular service first Sat. & Sun. of each month.

HIGHLAND CHURCH OF CHRIST 821 Euclid Ave., Paintsville. Sun. school 9:30 a.m., Worship service 10:30 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. J.M. Scott, minister, phone 789-6433

EASTSIDE FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Hwy. 1107, Thelma. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship service 11 a.m., Sun. evening 6 p.m. Wed. prayer, CTS, 7 p.m. Harry Neal Frisby, pastor 789-1112.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH Prestonsburg, Sabbath school 9 a.m., Worship 10:30 a.m. Joe McCoy, pastor 478-4332, church phone 297-4950.

SOUTHSIDE FREE WILL BAPTIST CHURCH Paintsville, Rev. Wayne Price, pastor. Sun. school 10 a.m., service 11 a.m., Sun. 6 p.m., Wed. Bible study, 7 p.m.; Wed. REACH Youth Program 6 p.m..

FIRST FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Third St., Paintsville. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., Sun.

service 11 a.m., Sun. night 7 p.m. along with radio broadcast. Thurs., prayer service 7 p.m. Reg. meeting 2nd Sat. each month, 7 p.m., Larry Blair, pastor.

LITTLE MUD LICK CHURCH OF GOD Staffordsville, Bro. Toby Wheeler, pastor. Sun. school 10 a.m., Worship 11 a.m., evening 7 p.m., children's church 11 a.m. Regular meeting 4th Sat., Sun., & Wed., 7:00 p.m. Special singing every service.

TOM'S CREEK FREEWILL BAPTIST, U.S. 23 North of Layne Brothers, Ivel. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Chuck Ferguson.

THEALKA FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH Thealka, Gary Blair, pastor. Sun. school 10 a.m., morning Worship 11 a.m., evening Worship 7 p.m. each Sun., Thurs. prayer service 7 p.m. reg. service 1st Sat. & Sun. except first Sun. evening of month.

MARTHA FIRST CHURCH OF GOD Serving Martha, Keaton, Red Bush & Flat Gap. Sun. school 10 a.m., reg. service 11 a.m., Sun. evening 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible study 7 p.m. Harold Keaton, pastor.

PEACEFUL VALLEY INDEPENDENT CHURCH 3rd weekend: Sat. 7 p.m., Sun. 10:30 a.m. & 7 p.m.; 1st Sunday at 7 p.m.. Eual McKenzie, pastor. On Cantrell Creek Road.

CHRISTIAN UNION BAPTIST CHURCH, Keaton, meets Sun. 11 a.m.; Sun. night at 6 p.m.; Business meeting every 3rd Sat. night; Dismissing third Sunday. Wed. Bible Study at 6 p.m. Pastor Tim Salyer.

WHITE HOUSE ENTERPRISE BAPTIST CHURCH meets the second weekend of each month. Worship service, Sat. night 7 p.m. & Sun. morning 11 a.m. Richard Salyers, pastor.

FLOYD COUNTY

ALLEN FIRST BAPTIST, Allen. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Arnold Turner.

AUXIER FREEWILL BAPTIST, Auxier. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Thurs. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Bobby Spencer.

AUXIER UNITED METHODIST, Auxier. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 6 p.m. Pastor: Mearl Music.

BENEDICT BAPTIST, Slick Rock Br., Cow Creek. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Gordon Fitch.

BETSY LAYNE CHURCH OF CHRIST, Betsy Layne. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Tommy J. Spears.

BETSY LAYNE CHURCH OF GOD, Old U.S. 23. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Interim Pastor: Vickie Vinson.

BETSY LAYNE FREEWILL BAPTIST, Betsy Layne. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Tracy Patton.

BETSY LAYNE UNITED METHODIST, Betsy Layne. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Randy Blackburn.

BONANZA FREEWILL BAPTIST, Abbott Creek Rd., Bonanza. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m.; Pastor: Jimmy D. Brown.

BRANDY KEG FREEWILL BAPTIST, Corn Fork. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Roger Music.

CALVARY SOUTHERN BAPTIST, Betsy Layne. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Doug Lewis.

CHRIST UNITED METHODIST, Allen. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Kenneth Lemaster.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, So. Lake Dr., Prestonsburg. Sun. worship 10 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Ken Carriere.

CHURCH OF GOD OF PROPHECY, Hi Hat. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Don Fraley Jr.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST

OF LATTER DAY SAINTS, Martin. Relief Society/ Priesthood/Primary 9:30 a.m., Sun. school 10:30 a.m., Sacrament mtg. 11:20 a.m., Wed. at 6 p.m. Bishop: E.P. Grigsby, 285-3133.

COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD, Arkansas Creek, Martin. Sun. worship 11 a.m.; Friday 7 p.m. Pastor: Bud Crum.

COMMUNITY FREEWILL BAPTIST, Goble Roberts Addition. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Paul D. Coleman.

COMMUNITY UNITED METHODIST, Burke Avenue. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Jim Savage. Phone: 606-886-8087.

COW CREEK FREEWILL BAPTIST, Cow Creek. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Nathan Lafferty.

DANIELS CREEK BAPTIST FELLOWSHIP CHURCH OF GOD, Banner. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 7 p.m.; Tues. service 6:30 p.m.

DRIFT FREEWILL BAPTIST, Drift. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 6:30 p.m.; Thurs. service 6:30 p.m. Pastor: Randy Turner.

DRIFT INDEPENDENT, Drift. Sunday worship 11 a.m.; Thurs. service 6:30 p.m.

DRIFT PENTECOSTAL, Drift. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship Saturday/Sunday 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Ted Shannon.

DRIFT PRESBYTERIAN, Rt. 1101, Drift. Sun. worship 11 a.m. Pastor: Mary Alice Murray.

DWALE HOUSE OF PRAYER, Dwale. Worship 7 a.m., Sunday 6 p.m. Pastor: William Jarrell.

EMMA UNITED METHODIST, Emma. Sun. School 10 a.m., Sunday worship 11 a.m.. Pastor, David Proffitt.

ENDICOTT FREEWILL BAPTIST CHURCH, Buffalo. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Mark Hunt.

FAITH BIBLE, Martin. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 6 p.m.

FAITH DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE, West Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10:30 a.m.; Thurs. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Don Shepherd.

FAITH FREEWILL BAPTIST, Rt. 1428. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Buddy Jones.

FAITH REVELATION MINISTRY, Harkins St., West Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11:15 a.m., Thurs. 7 p.m. Pastor: Randy Hagans.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD: Martin, Ky. Pastor Lorie Vannucci. Sun. school 10 a.m.; Sun. morning worship 11 a.m.; Sun. evening 6 p.m.; Wed. worship 7 p.m. family night, Royal Rangers and Missionettes. (606) 285-3051.

FIRST BAPTIST, Garrett. Sun. school 9:45 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Randy Osborne.

FIRST BAPTIST, Martin. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Dr. Floyd Price.

FIRST CHRISTIAN, 560 N. Arnold Ave., Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. 7 p.m. Pastor: Wayne Sayre.

FITZPATRICK FIRST BAPTIST, 3/4 mile Big Branch of Abbott, Prestonsburg. Fellowship 9:30 a.m., morning school 9:45 a.m., morning worship 11 a.m., evening worship 6 p.m.; Wed. Bible Study 7 p.m. Pastor: Tommy Reed, 886-6204.

FREE PENTECOSTAL

CHURCH OF GOD, Weeksbury. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 7 p.m.; Wed./Sat. service 7 p.m. Pastor: John Jay Patton.

FREE PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF GOD, Rt. 1428, East Point. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Thurs. service 6:30 p.m. Pastor Buster Hayton.

FREE PENTECOSTAL HOLINESS, Rt. 122, Upper Burton. Sun. school 11 a.m., worship 7 p.m.; Fri. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Louis Sarlan.

FREE UNITED BAPTIST, West Prestonsburg. Sun. school 2 p.m., worship 3 p.m.; Everyone welcome!

FULL GOSPEL COMMUNITY, Old Allen. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wed. service 6:30 p.m. Pastor: Lavonne Lafferty.

GARRETT CHURCH OF GOD, Garrett. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Donald Bragg.

GARRETT COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN, Route 550, Garrett. Sunday worship 10:30 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wed. service 6:30 p.m. Pastor: Donald Hackworth.

GRACE FELLOWSHIP, Prestonsburg. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. Pastor: Bill Stukenberg.

GOODLOE PENTECOSTAL, Rt. 850, David. Sunday worship 6 p.m. Pastor: Malcolm Sloane.

GRETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH, St. Rt. 3379, Branham's Creek Rd. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6:30 p.m.; Wed. service 6:30 p.m.

HAROLD CHURCH OF CHRIST, Harold. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: James H. Harmon.

HIGHLAND AVENUE FREEWILL BAPTIST, Prestonsburg. Sun. school 9:50 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: David Garrett.

HORN CHAPEL METHODIST, Auxier. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 6 p.m. Pastor: Garfield Potter.

HUEYSVILLE CHURCH OF CHRIST. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 7 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Chester Varney.

JACKS CREEK BAPTIST, Bevinville. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Jeff Barrett.

KATY FRIEND FREEWILL BAPTIST, Abbott. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: Jimmy Caudill.

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MARTIN FREEWILL BAPTIST, Martin. Sun. school 10 a.m., worship 11 a.m. & 6 p.m.; Wed. service 7 p.m. Pastor: John L. Blair.

Communities

Can a 'kill switch' cut the rate of smartphone theft?

by Kim Komando

Kim Komando hosts the nation's largest talk radio show about consumer electronics, computers and the Internet.



There are so many things technology does to make our lives better. There's also some things technology could do to make our lives better, but for some reason doesn't. Here's an interesting current example. Did you know that, even as crime overall in the U.S. has been dropping over the last 10 or 15 years, smartphone theft has reached epidemic proportions? It's not surprising. Those things can cost \$600 and are easy to swipe, conceal and transport. (They are also worth a lot of money overseas.) The theft numbers are amazing. The FCC in 2012 released a survey of smartphone theft. Among the stats: Forty percent of the robberies in New York City involved smartphones. And many thieves, of course, are after something more valuable than the phone — your personal information, access to your banking and email, and other deviousness. So: What are we going to do about it? That's the question some consumers have been asking for years, and it seems as if there's a simple solution: Adding a feature to allow owners to render a stolen device useless via a blocking device — the so-called "kill switch."

Lawmakers in California, spurred by the state attorney general, have been considering a mandatory kill switch bill. That proposal caught the attention of the industry; California is such a big market it would make a de facto national standard. In the meantime, a group of senators in Washington, D.C., have proposed a similar bill, the Smartphone Theft Prevention Act, proposed earlier this month.

The idea of both is that, once it's understood that stolen phones were probably unusable, the market for hot phones would be at least trimmed. (Phones could still be stolen for parts, I guess.)

Now, a consortium of phone companies is against these laws. One argument: That kill switches could be hacked — there's even the specter raised of Homeland Security phones being bricked en masse in a terrorist attack. Leaving aside the silly latter part of the argument, I'm still not convinced this is an issue. It might be true that someone wanting to do you mischief might take the time to brick your phone out of spite, but that should be as preventable as any other type of hack, right? And, seriously, the chances of that happening are a lot less than that of the phone getting stolen. And there certainly isn't a similar financial incentive.

Another argument against the kill switch is that a better solution would be a national database of stolen cellphones, which buyers would presumably check before a second-hand phone is bought. This has supposedly been available for years, but you don't hear much about it, do you?

I'm going to go out on a limb and suggest that perhaps the makers' lack of enthusiasm on the subject is that they make a lot of money from folks having to replace all those stolen phones. Some even twist consumers' arms to buy so-called insurance against loss or theft — for \$5 or \$10 per month, plus a deductible of \$100 or more. There are apps, too, like Apple's useful Find My iPhone, Google's Android Device Manager, or the universal Prey, but even this doesn't

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PICTURED LEFT TO RIGHT: J. Eric Mathis, Patriot Bioenergy Corp.; Roger Ford, Patriot Bioenergy Corp.; Tami Blackburn, intern; Mitchell May, intern; Dr. Darla French, UPIKE professor; Nathan Little, UPIKE intern. Not pictured: Johnny Robinson, UPIKE intern.

UPIKE interns to participate in study on soil composition of post-mining land

In continuing efforts to build a new energy economy in Central Appalachia, Patriot Bioenergy Corporation is undertaking a study on soil composition of post-mining land and will work with University of Pikeville interns on the project.

The internship project has them conducting field research to collect, process and evaluate soil samples from post-mining land in Kentucky and West Virginia. The interns will explore the potential of industrial hemp as an energy feedstock in the region.

"We are delighted to work with UPIKE on this important research that assists us in understanding ecological make-up of post-mining land, that will provide us the necessary data to build a new energy economy in our region," said Roger Ford, CEO for Patriot Bioenergy Corporation.

The project began in January and will continue through the spring semester, with interns visiting post-mining sites, collecting soil samples, and processing data obtained from the sites. The data will be used for identifying potential sites and their soil composition, critical to the production of energy-related biomass.

The UPIKE interns who

will be participating in this study are:

- **Tami Blackburn:** Born in Lexington and raised in Floyd County, Blackburn has been a nurse for 20 years. She returned to college in 2011 to further her education in biology and graduated with an associate's degree in science from Big Sandy Community and Technical College. Currently, she is a junior at UPIKE, pursuing a bachelor's degree in biology. Her future plans are to pursue a degree in the medical field.

- **Nathan Little:** Currently, Little is a junior at UPIKE, pursuing a degree in biology. His future plans include aspiring to become a physician. A great part of his interest in this research internship is his family's background in coal mining. He is interested in investigating the soil viability left on post-mining land.

- **Mitchell May:** May is a student at UPIKE, majoring in biology. He anticipates graduation in May. He earned a B.S. in history/political science from UPIKE in 2009. He is a member of Theta Alpha Kappa and Phi Alpha Theta honor societies, and has been placed on the Dean's List each semester. In addition, he has been accepted to the Kentucky College of Osteopathic Medicine in July. He has served in

the United States Marine Corps Reserve as a combat engineer.

- **Johnny Robinson:** Robinson is the son of Johnny "Michael" Robinson of Greasy Creek Road, Shelbyana, and Donna R. Chaney-Thacker of Peyton's Creek Road, Pikeville. Robinson is a U.S. military veteran and current student at UPIKE. He is pursuing a bachelor of science degree in biology, with plans to attend medical school. Robinson currently holds a bachelor of arts in English and a master of science in health administration.

Ford said the goal of the project is to develop a set of data on post-mining land that will enable the company to understand soil composition and its suitability for biomass production, and to set initial protocols to grow, harvest, and process industrial hemp.

"The keys to future economic development require us to diversify and integrate our energy resources; develop all capabilities that are economically viable; and, focus efforts towards innovation and emerging technologies, and how those fit within a rural economy. We believe that this study is the next logical step to move forward, to strengthen coal, to build data, and to be able to commercialize biomass—specifically industrial hemp—for energy, chemical, manufacturing, and medical products," Ford said.

Buddhist monk to visit BSCTC for presentation on love and compassion

PRESTONSBURG — Big Sandy Community and Technical College (BSCTC) and the Global Studies and International Partnerships (GSIP) at the Kentucky Community and Technical College System will sponsor a presentation on love and compassion by Tsering Phuntsok.

The presentation by Phuntsok, who has been a practicing Buddhist monk for the past 22 years, will be at 3 p.m. Wednesday, March 5, in the Gearheart Auditorium on the Prestonsburg campus of BSCTC.

Phuntsok will be in the area March 3-5 and will be doing a variety of campus visits and lectures. He is an educator of Buddhist compassion, spiritual dancing, rituals, prayers and practices.

Residing in the foothills of the Himalayan Mountains in Dharamsala, India, Phuntsok's home is less than a minute walk from the temple and residence of the H.H. Dalai Lama.

"We hope this presentation will begin a dialogue on human compassion and what it means in our lives here in our mountains," said Greta Heintzelman Slone, an assistant professor of English at BSCTC. "The Buddhist faith is intriguing and their notions of compassion and meditative practices will be discussed in great detail."

Phuntsok's work is very well-known in India, especially in causes related to health. His projects include the solar hot water for young students and mold remediation to help with respiratory condition.

For more information on Phuntsok's visit and presentation, contact Slone at (606) 886-4763 or e-mail gslone0020@kctcs.edu.



TSERING PHUNTSOK, A Buddhist monk from India, will host a presentation on Love and Compassion at 3 p.m., Wednesday, March 5, in the Gearheart Auditorium on the Prestonsburg campus of BSCTC.

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East KY Science Center to host 'Cowboy Astronomer' March 1

PRESTONSBURG — The East Kentucky Science Center and Planetarium will present "The Cowboy Astronomer" at 2 p.m., Saturday, March 1.

Located on the Prestonsburg campus of Big Sandy Community and Technical College, the EKSC presents this re-engineered show after a three-year hiatus. "The Cowboy Astronomer" is a skillfully woven tapestry of star tales and Native American legends, combined with constellation identification, stargazing, and astronomy tidbits — all told from the unique viewpoint of a cowboy astronomer who has traveled the world plying his trade and learning the sky along the way.

The planetarium program features the planetarium narrating debut of nationally-renowned cowboy humorist and poet Baxter Black, known

for his commentary on National Public Radio's "Morning Edition," and TV performances on NBC's "Tonight Show."

The basic premise of "The Cowboy Astronomer" is simple: you're in the Western outdoors, listening to star legends and cowboy tales around the campfire. The cowboy astronomer gives us his perspective of the night sky, and the things he's found out over a lifetime of stargazing.

It also features Native American star tales: the Fisher story of the cruel chieftain holding the birds of summer captive, and the Devil's Tower tale of the Seven Indian Maidens and the Bear.

Admission is \$6 for adults and \$4 for students. Children under the age of four are free.

For more information, contact the EKSC at (606) 889-4809.



BIG SANDY COMMUNITY and Technical College's Library Seminar Series hosted Kentucky Chautauqua's "Lilley Cornett: A Voice for the Forest" Thursday, Feb. 19, in the Gearheart Auditorium on the Prestonsburg campus. David Hurt portrayed Cornett.



RESOLUTION OF HONOR

CITIZENS NATIONAL BANK OF PAINTSVILLE, KENTUCKY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

WHEREAS,	Betty Marie Reynolds Dorton was a resident of Paintsville, Kentucky; and was born August 2, 1922 in Columbus, Ohio, daughter of the late Floyd Marion Reynolds and Marie Elsie Rechert;
WHEREAS,	Betty Marie Reynolds Dorton was the devoted wife of the late Oscar Trigg "O.T." Dorton and loving mother of Dennis T. Dorton and Lynn Dorton Mullins;
WHEREAS,	Betty Marie Reynolds Dorton was a member of the United Methodist Church, Paintsville, Kentucky;
WHEREAS,	Betty Marie Reynolds Dorton departed this life on February 5th, 2014 and leaves behind one son, Dennis T. Dorton and wife, Jean, of Paintsville, Kentucky; one daughter, Lynn Mullins and husband, Will, of Paintsville, Kentucky; two brothers, Dick Reynolds and wife, Donna, of Fort Worth, Texas and Jack Reynolds and wife, Norma, of Canal Winchester, Ohio; one sister, Marilyn Lawless of Columbus, Ohio; sister-in-law, Norma J. Maggard of Paintsville, Kentucky; three grandchildren, Andrew Trigg Dorton, Meridith Mullins and Macy Mullins of Covington; and five great-grandchildren, Tristan, Ashton, Cy Marie, Conleigh and Ana Banks;
RESOLVED,	by the Board of Citizens National Bank, that we deeply sympathize with and share in the grief and bereavement of the family in the loss sustained by the death of Mrs. Betty Marie Reynolds Dorton, a loving and devoted wife, mother, grandmother, sister and friend;
NOW THEREFORE,	the Board of Directors of Citizens National Bank resolves to recognize and pay tribute to the life of Mrs. Betty Marie Reynolds Dorton and honor her by recording this resolution in the board minutes with a copy to be given to her family; and a copy to be given to her family; and a copy to be published in the local paper.

Unanimously adopted by the Board of Directors of Citizens National Bank of Paintsville, Kentucky, on February 18, 2014.

Gregory Meade,
Chairman of the Board

Sharon Collins
Secretary to the Board

Community Calendar

Send your BSN Community Calendar notice to: The Big Sandy News Community Calendar, P.O. Box 766, Louisa, Ky. 41230 or by e-mail to: brenda@bigsandynews.com or by fax to: (606) 638-9949.

Wednesday, Feb. 26

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will host a presentation on a World of Cinema by Michelle Fields at 9:30 a.m., in the Art Gallery, Magoffin Learning Resource Center, Prestonsburg Campus. For information, call 606-889-4750, or 606-886-7394.

Narcotics Anonymous meetings are held every Wednesday, at 8 p.m., at Three Rivers Medical Center, third floor conference room, Louisa. Enter thru the main entrance. To find an NA meeting near you, call 855-319-8869, or the website: grassrootsna.org.

Thursday, Feb. 27

The Johnson County Public Library will discuss the book "Childhood's End" on 12:10-12:50 p.m. Bring your own lunch. For information, or to reserve a book, call 606-789-4355.

CDL truck driving classes will be held today, thru April

4, and May 8 thru June 16, on the Big Sandy Community and Technical College Hager Hill campus, Monday thru Friday, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m. For information, call 606-788-2923, 606-889-4769, or email: Brenda.miller@kctcs.edu.

A Caregiver's Support group meeting will be held at 6 p.m., at Hospice of Huntington, 1101 6th Ave., Huntington, W.Va., at 6 p.m.; The session is free and open to the public, registration is required. For information, call 304-529-4217, or 800-788-5480.

Friday, Feb. 28

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will hold an 8-hour mine emergency technician retraining from 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m., on the Pikeville campus, room S230. The classes are free. For information, call 606-788-2940, 606-218-1228, or email hhammond0002@kctcs.edu.

Sunday, March 2

The Louisa American Legion W.O. Johnson Post 89

will meet at 2 p.m., at the Legion Hall, 113 S. Vinson Street, Louisa. For information, call 606-673-3941.

Monday, March 3

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will hold body shaping classes on its Prestonsburg campus, March 3-31, and April 1-30, 6-7 p.m. Monday thru Thursday. For information, call 606-889-4769 or email Brenda.miller@kctcs.edu.

The Cooper/Clayton Method to Stop Smoking classes are on-going at Saint Joseph-Martin every Monday, at 10:30 a.m., in the Sexton Complex lower level conference room. For information, call 606-285-6691.

Tuesday, March 4

The Louisa VFW Post 6103 will meet at 6 p.m., at the post, 113 S. Vinson Street, Louisa. For information, call 606-673-3718.

Master Gardener class "Intro to class and extension service" will be today, at the Lawrence County extension office, 249 Industrial Park Road, Louisa; "Basic plant botany and plant ID" will be held Tuesday, March 11; "Plant Pathology" on Tuesday, March 18; and "Soils and Fertility" on Tuesday, March 25. All classes are 6-9 p.m. For information, call 606-674-9495.

The Southeast Kentucky Chamber of Commerce, 178 College Street, Pikeville, will have a grand opening at the United Medical Group, Coal Run, 5-7 p.m. Everyone is welcome. For information, call 606-432-5504, or 877-738-4400.

The Rough Riders Saddle Club of Lewis County will meet at 7 p.m., at the Lewis County extension office, 284 2nd Street, Vanceburg. For information, call 606-757-4276 or 606-541-0841.

Big Sandy Community and Technical College will hold a Nursing Assistant Skills class today thru April 15, on its Prestonsburg campus. Classes will be Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, 5-9 p.m. The class will also be offered May 6-June 17. For information, call 606-889-4769 or email Brenda.miller@kctcs.edu.

Miscellaneous

Kynect Insurance Assistants will be available at the Home-Place Clinic located in the Mountain Comprehensive Care building in Paintsville Monday, Wednesday and Fridays, 8 a.m.-4:30 p.m.; Tuesday and Thursday's, 8 a.m.-7 p.m. Deadline for open enrollment ends March 31. For info, call 606-788-1345.

A veterans benefits representative will be at the Kentucky Career Center, 686 North Lake Drive, Prestonsburg, Wednesday, March 5, 9 a.m.-3 p.m., to assist veterans and their dependents filing for federal and state veterans benefits. This is a free service. For information, call 866-647-2926.

There will be an OSCAR meeting, Thursday, March 6, at 1 p.m. at the OSCAR Medina Cafe (old Oil Springs School). If you are interested in becoming involved in upcoming events at the OSCAR, or want to find out what the OSCAR has to offer, you are invited to attend. Residents of Oil Springs, alumni of Oil Springs School, or anyone interested in the Oil Springs community is invited to a Community Celebration at the OSCAR (old Oil Springs School), Friday evening, March 28 from 5-7 p.m. Food, fellowship, tours of the building; programs offered and art studios from 5-6:30 p.m.; special program 6:30-7 pm.

Community Hospice of Ashland, will offer several community-based grief counseling sessions. "Embracing Our Grief", thru March 30, at 6 p.m.; Men's support group on Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m.; and Parent support group, bi-monthly on the first and third Tuesday of each month at 6 p.m. Support groups are open to the public. For information, call 606-329-1890, or 800-926-6184.

Regional competition for Big Sandy IDOL set for March 7-8 at Mountain Arts Center

PRESTONSBURG – Big Sandy Idol started eight years as a way to showcase talented vocalists, and it's turned into the premiere talent showcase in Eastern Kentucky.

The Big Sandy Idol regional competition will take place March 7-8 at the Mountain Arts Center in Prestonsburg. Thirty-four up-and-coming entertainers will take the stage in the two-night event, which culminates in the crowning of the Big Sandy Idol.

"It's just very exciting for all of us," said Clayton Case, director of fine arts at Big Sandy Community and Technical College. "Every year, the event gets bigger and better, and it seems like weeks following the show, we are already making plans for the next year."

Big Sandy Idol started in 2006 as an idea to showcase high school vocalists within the BSCTC service area.

"It's widely known that our region is home to some of the most dynamic artists in the genres of country music,"

Case said. "We wanted to provide a stage for young artists to compete and be heard."

The idea was an instant success. Big Sandy Idol not only provided a regional platform to compete on the stage at the Mountain Arts Center, it provided the college's Big Sandy Singers a recruiting tool. The Big Sandy Singers is an elite, auditioned group of BSCTC students that perform throughout the region. The singers are also ambassadors of the college and work closely in recruitment efforts at local high schools.

"The Big Sandy Singers is why I am here," said Case, who was a part of the group from 2004 to 2006 and also performed with the Kentucky Opry from 2000 to 2008. "I think it is important to provide our youth with different avenues to build on their talents."

Big Sandy Idol has morphed into much more than a regional talent competition. More than 500 students compete in school-based auditions and two performers (a winner

and runner-up) are selected from each school to compete in the regional competition.

Throughout the year, the Big Sandy Singers host vocal camps and workshops for students to grow their talent.

"The talent in our high schools absolutely amaze me every year," said Case. "Just when you think it cannot get better, it does."

The best part about the Big Sandy Idol program is it allows students the opportunity to build on their skills as part of the Big Sandy Singers. Since its inception, the Big Sandy Idol and Big Sandy Singers program have awarded more than 60 full scholarships to BSCTC.

"It's about providing students the opportunity to showcase their talent, but it's also about showing them how important education is as well," Case added.

Former Big Sandy Singers have gone on to finish college and are successful in many fields, including music.

Case has big plans for Big Sandy Idol and the Big Sandy Singers program. This year, he expanded the Big Sandy Singers to include three musicians in hopes of having a full band accompany the vocal group in the future. This year, Big Sandy Idol allowed contestants to play an instrument as well.

"The future is bright," said Case.

For more information on Big Sandy Idol or the Big Sandy Singers program, contact Case at (606) 886-7388 or e-mail ccase0005@kctcs.edu. To purchase tickets for Big Sandy Idol, call 1-888-MAC-ARTS or visit www.macarts.com.



CLAYTON CASE IS the director of Fine Arts at BSCTC. He started Big Sandy Idol in 2006.

Highlands hosts Ladies in Red luncheons to support heart health awareness

PRESTONSBURG – The 52-year old woman who came to Highlands' After Hours Clinic thought she simply had a virus.

Throughout the day, she'd had pain in her back, shortness of breath and an upset stomach. But as the clinician examined her, it became clear that her symptoms were something else entirely: this woman was having a heart attack.

Heart health issues can occur without warning and are often mistaken as affecting men more than women. But heart disease is the No. 1 killer of both men and women, and is the cause of one out of every four deaths in the United States. Because heart attack symptoms can often be different in a woman versus a man, Highlands officials have made it their mission to educate women about their risks by hosting annual Ladies in Red luncheons.

This year's luncheons were held in Prestonsburg and Paintsville on the campuses of Big Sandy Community and Technical College. Both events were well attended, with nearly 250 participants, Highlands officials said. Speakers included Dr. James Schmidt, a cardiologist at Highlands Heart and Vascular,

and Rich Pinson, director of Highlands Emergency Services. Both spoke not only about their personal experiences with patients, but also about the risk factors associated with cardiovascular disease. Participants were treated to a heart-healthy lunch, as well as additional community education through the health departments in Johnson and Floyd County counties.

For more information about upcoming Highlands events, visit HRMC.org and click on "Events."



DR. JAMES SCHMIDT, cardiologist at Highlands Heart and Vascular, spoke to the crowd during the Paintsville Ladies in Red event.



HIGHLANDS HELD THIS year's Ladies in Red luncheons in Prestonsburg and Paintsville on the campuses of Big Sandy Community and Technical College.

SWITCH: (Continued from A7)

have the appeal of a mandatory and easy-to-use universal feature that everyone knew about.

The real problem: "Kill switch" is a juicy name, but in fact the technology is not simple. It's something that has to be built deep into the phone's innards, to ensure that a simple reset of the device wouldn't cancel it out. That said, after considering the options I'm in favor of the most consumer-friendly model possible. Remember that many vulnerable users, like seniors, aren't necessarily geeks who will easily be able to maneuver a complex process.

I say if your phone is stolen you should be able to call your provider, properly ID yourself as the owner of the phone, and immediately get the thing bricked. On the off chance you get it back, reactivation should be quick, easy and cheap. It doesn't do you much good if it's your phone stolen – you're still going to have to buy a new one – it might work to reduce theft rates.

The providers and manu-

facturers have shown they are quite creative when it comes to prices and confusing coverage plans. Let's see them put that ingenuity to work on this consumer-friendly service, which might just put a bite into a problem all of us might face.

Until then, of course, we all need to be safe. Make sure you have a PIN code set. Check out my column on Essential Steps to Secure Your Smartphone. And keep an eye on your habits – stay ahead of the thieves! Keep your phone in an inside pocket. Don't use it out in public in a way that leaves you vulnerable; leaving it out on your table as you sit in a restaurant or café is asking for trouble.

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FOR RENT: LOUISA - (3) 3 BR houses, \$600 ea.; (1) 2 BR house, \$500 plus

deposit. No pets. 606-638-9794. (3/30 tfn) *****

MOBILE HOMES FOR RENT

TWO BR MOBILE home in quiet location, Paintsville. References & deposit required. 606-367-7431. (2/26-3/8 pd) *****

TWO BR MOBILE home at Meally. \$450 mo., \$200 deposit. Water & garbage paid - private lot. 606-478-2812. (2/19-3/1 pd) *****

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CONVENIENT STORAGE, LOUISA, Ky. 606-638-RENT (7368). (10/26 tfn) *****

TRAILERS IN FALLSBURG, Louisa area. City water. Deposit and references required. 606-686-2220. (3/10 tfn) *****

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COMMERCIAL PROPERTY

FOR RENT: 2,400 sq. ft. ground floor storage space, Paintsville. 606-789-3059, 606-793-1486. (8/21 tfn) *****

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BATHROOM REMODELING: Demo, repair, tub surrounds, ceramic walk-in

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KITCHEN REMODELING, Install cabinets/tops, ceramic floors/back-splash, assist with design. Call Mark, 606-652-4839. (2/15-2/26 pd) *****

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misstatement. An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statement. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statement, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statement in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of significant accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statement. We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

As described more fully in Note 1, the financial statement is prepared by Lawrence County, Kentucky on the basis of the accounting practices prescribed or permitted by the Department for Local Government to demonstrate compliance with the Commonwealth of Kentucky's regulatory basis of accounting and budget laws, which is a basis of accounting other than accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

tucky as of June 30, 2013, or changes in financial position or cash flows thereof for the year then ended. Opinion on Regulatory Basis of Accounting

In our opinion, the financial statement referred to above presents fairly, in all material respects, the cash and cash equivalents of Lawrence County, Kentucky as of June 30, 2013, and its cash receipts and disbursements, for the year then ended, in accordance with the financial reporting provisions prescribed or permitted by the Department for Local Government described in Note 1.

Emphasis of Matters

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statement, in fiscal year 2013, the Lawrence County Fiscal Court adopted new accounting guidance on a regulatory basis. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

As discussed in Note 1 to the financial statement, the Lawrence County Fiscal Court would have included some component entities under accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America (GAAP) as established by the Government Accounting Standards Board. However, under the regulatory basis they are no longer required components of the reporting entity. Our opinion is not modified with respect to this matter.

Other Matters

Our audit was conducted for the purpose of forming an opinion on the financial statement taken as a whole of Lawrence County, Kentucky. The budgetary comparison schedules and capital asset schedule are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the financial statement. Such information

by Government Auditing Standards

In accordance with Government Auditing Standards, we have also issued our report dated October 15, 2013 on our consideration of Lawrence County, Kentucky's internal control over financial reporting and on our tests of its compliance with certain provisions of laws, regulations, contracts and grant agreements and other matters. The purpose of that report is to describe the scope of our testing of internal control over financial reporting and compliance and the results of that testing, and not to provide an opinion on the internal control over financial reporting or on compliance. That report is an integral part of an audit performed in accordance with Government Auditing Standards and should be considered in assessing the results of our audit. Based on the results of our audit, we present the accompanying comment and recommendation included herein, which discusses the following re-

2013-01 The Fiscal Court Should Improve Internal Control Procedures

Respectfully submitted,

Teddy Michael Prater CPA, PLLC

October 15, 2013 (2/26 chg)

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

C O M M O N - W E A L T H O F K E N T U C K Y L A W R E N C E C I R C U I T C O U R T

C.A. NO. 13-CI-00280

VANDERBILT MORTGAGE AND FINANCE, INC.

PLAINTIFF

VS:

SABRINA LISSETTE WILEY; GEORGE LEE WILEY; PEOPLES SECURITY BANK A/K/A THE PEOPLES SECURITY BANK OF LOUISA; RICHARD BYRNE; LIZ BYRNE:

in Lawrence County, Kentucky, to-wit:

A certain tract or parcel of land located on the waters of Burton Branch of the left fork of Georges Creek near the post office at Ulysses, Lawrence County, Kentucky, and more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point in Burton Branch 247' North of the center of Old US 23 and on the line of B e c k h a m Hughes and line of Curtis and Judy Bryant lot. Thence leaving B e c k h a m Hughes and up the hill a short distance with Curtis and Judy Bryant, then continuing up the hill with Billy and Hazel Adams, N 86 deg. 30' W 440.8' to an iron pin on the line of Mrs. L a w r e n c e Hughes. This point being on the crest of the hill. Thence leaving the Adams Property and with Mrs. L a w r e n c e Hughes, North 230.0' to an iron stake at the top of a steep part of the hill. Thence down the hill, N 76 deg. 00' E 180.0' to a stake by a large pine, thence S 88 deg. 00' E 254.0' to a point on top of a 6' pipe in the center of Burton Branch, S 0 deg. 30' E 93.0' to a point in the branch along the property of Beckham Hughes, thence S 5 deg. 00' W 105.0' to the point of beginning, containing 2.8 acres. Being the same property conveyed to Thomas Hardin and Sherri Hardin, his wife, from Gay Hughes, widow, by deed dated the 9th day of January, 1986, and recorded in Deed book 191, Page 702, Lawrence County Record of Deeds.

TERMS OF SALE:

1. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiff Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc. or its affiliates, successors or assigns, at the time of sale, shall either pay cash or make a deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

2. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiff Community Trust Bank, Inc., or its affiliates, successors or assigns, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment upon which execution may issue, if not paid at maturity; and a lien shall be retained upon the real property above described as additional security.

3. The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Lawrence County Clerk's Office and such right of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. or KRS 426.530.

4. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all real property taxes or assessments upon the property for the calendar year 2014 and all subsequent years.

NELSON T. SPARKS MASTER COMMISSIONER

L A W R E N C E C I R C U I T C O U R T (2/26, 3/5, 3/12 chg)

C O M M O N - W E A L T H O F K E N T U C K Y L A W R E N C E C I R C U I T C O U R T

C.A. NO. 13-CI-00228

COMMUNITY TRUST BANK, INC.

PLAINTIFF,

VS:

NOTICE OF COMMISSIONER'S SALE

RUBY SHORT, U N K N O W N S P O U S E O F R U B Y S H O R T, T A M M Y W E B B, U N K N O W N S P O U S E O F T A M M Y W E B B and ESTATE OF WILLIAM H. DAVIS, JR.

DEFENDANTS

Pursuant to the Judgment and Order of Sale rendered in the above-styled action on February 18, 2014, for the sum of forty-nine thousand two hundred five dollars and twelve cents (\$49,205.12), plus interest and other costs and expenses, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the front door of the Lawrence County Courthouse in Louisa, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on Friday, March 14, 2014, at or about the hour of 11:30 a.m. the following described property, lying and being in Lawrence County, Kentucky, to-wit:

All that certain parcel of land lying and being situated in the County of Lawrence, State of Kentucky, to-wit: FIVE (5) LOTS LOCATED IN THE JOHN G. BURNS GOLF

page 441, of the Lawrence County, KY Public Registry.

Being that parcel of land conveyed to William H. Davis, Sr., son from Lora A. Davis, dec. 03-28-89 by that deed dated 10/19/1989 and recorded 10/20/1989 in deed book 204, at page 17 of the Lawrence County, KY Public Registry.

Being that parcel of land conveyed to William H. Davis, Sr. and Ruby Short, both single, as joint tenants with right of survivorship from William H. Davis, Jr., single, by that deed dated 07/12/1990 and recorded 07/12/1990 in deed book 260 at page 251 of the Lawrence County, KY Public Registry.

NOTE: William H. Davis, Sr., deceased; date of death 04/09/2003.

This loan is further secured by a 2002 Fleetwood VIN #TN-FL227AB25830-SR13

THERE IS FURTHER EXCLUDED FROM THE ABOVE DE-S C R I B E D PROPERTY a tract of land conveyed to Murrell Daniels by deed dated June 18, 2004 and recorded in Deed Book 270, Page 234, and being more particularly described as follows:

Beginning at an iron stake at the center of the driveway and going up the hill 125 feet to an iron stake; thence turning back right and going 115 feet to the iron stake at corner of lot; thence turning back down hill 125 feet to corner stake; thence going back to the left 110 feet to a stake in middle of the driveway.

THERE IS EXCLUDED FROM THE ABOVE DE-S C R I B E D PROPERTY a 0.347 acre tract of land conveyed to Jack M. Roberts and Mary Roberts, husband and wife, by deed dated February 2, 2007 and recorded in Deed Book 271, Page 46, with the legal description of same being corrected in

num from the #43, South 89-21-41 East 137.11 feet to a rebar and cap (set); South 07-15-53 West 115.36 feet to a rebar and cap (set); North 87-06-46 West 132.53 feet to a rebar and cap (set) at the east right of way line of Oak Street; thence running with said right of way line, North 05-09-03 East 109.73 feet to the point of beginning containing 15,121.4 square feet or 0.347 Acre, more or less.

This property is subject to a mutual or common permanent right of way located on the existing asphalt driveway shown on the plat referred to herein for the use and benefit of the above described property and the adjoining parcel of land.

TERMS OF SALE:

1. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiff Community Trust Bank, Inc., or its affiliates, successors or assigns, at the time of sale, shall either pay cash or make a deposit of ten percent (10%) of the purchase price, with the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

2. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiff Community Trust Bank, Inc., or its affiliates, successors or assigns, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment upon which execution may issue, if not paid at maturity; and a lien shall be retained upon the real property above described as additional security.

3. The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Lawrence County Clerk's Office and such right of redemption as may exist in favor of the United States of America and/or the record owners thereof, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. or KRS 426.530.

4. The purchaser shall be required to assume and pay all real property taxes or assessments upon the property for the calendar year 2013 and all subsequent years thereafter.

NELSON SPARKS MASTER COMMISSIONER

L A W R E N C E C I R C U I T C O U R T (2/26, 3/5, 3/12 chg)

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the financial statement of the variances between the regulatory basis of accounting described in Note 1 and accounting principle generally accepted in the United States of America, although not reasonably determinable, are presumed to be material.

Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles

In our opinion, because of the significance of the matter discussed in the Basis for Adverse Opinion on U.S. Generally Accepted Accounting Principles paragraph, the financial statement referred to above does not present fairly, in accordance with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America, the financial position of Lawrence County, Kentucky, as of December 31, 2014, and the results of its operations and cash flows for the year ended December 31, 2014, and the balance on credit for thirty (30) days.

2. The successful bidder, if other than Plaintiff Vanderbilt Mortgage and Finance, Inc., or its affiliates, successors or assigns, shall be required to execute a bond with good surety thereon for the unpaid purchase price of said property, if any, bearing interest at the rate of twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale until paid, having the force and effect of a Judgment upon which execution may issue, if not paid at maturity; and a lien shall be retained upon the real property above described as additional security.

3. The property shall be sold subject to any easements and restrictions of record in the Lawrence County Clerk's Office

C O M M O N - W E A L T H O F K E N T U C K Y A N D L A W R E N C E C O U N T Y, K E N T U C K Y

DEFENDANTS

Pursuant to the Default Judgment and Order of Sale rendered in the above-styled action on January 27, 2014, for the sum of one hundred two thousand nine hundred eighty-one dollars and one cent (\$102,981.01), plus interest and other costs and expenses, and the Amended Order of Sale entered in the above-styled action on February 18, 2014, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the front door of the Lawrence County Courthouse in Louisa, Kentucky, to the highest bidder, at public auction on Friday, March 14, 2014, at or about the hour of 11:30 a.m. the following described property, lying and being

COURSE ADDITION TO THE CITY OF LOUISA, KENTUCKY, AND BEING LOTS NOS. 42, 43, 44, 45, AND 46, AS SHOWN ON PLAT TO SAID ADDITION OF RECORD IN DEED BOOK 62 AT PAGE 205-A OF THE LAWRENCE COUNTY RECORD OF DEEDS.

Tax Map Reference: 105-20-02-019.00

Being that parcel of land conveyed to Bill and Lora Davis from Edwin M. and Ruth J. Preece, his spouse, by that deed dated 04/28/1964 and recorded 04/29/1964 in deed book 138, at page 207 of the Lawrence County, KY Public Registry.

Being that parcel of land conveyed to Lora A. Davis from Bill Davis, deceased, by that deed dated 01/30/1971 and recorded 08/22/1984 in will book 10, at

Deed of Correction dated April 24, 2009 and recorded in Deed Book 296, Page 61, in the Lawrence County Clerk's Office, and being more particularly described as follows:

All that certain tract or parcel of property on Oak Street in the John G. Burns Golf Course Addition to the City of Louisa in Lawrence County, Kentucky, and being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a steel bolt (found) in the center of an asphalt drive, at the east right of way line of Oak Street and south 11-42-45 west 227.46 feet from an axle (found) at the northwest corner of Lot #46 of said Gold Course Addition; thence leaving Oak Street and running thru the land of Ruby Short (DB 206 PG 251) and thru Lots



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Big Sandy Sports

Bulldogs roll over South Floyd, drop to PCC 52-51

HI HAT — Lawrence County notched its fourth straight win Thursday, defeating host South Floyd 77-39.

With the win, Lawrence County improved to 19-8.

Freshman guard/forward Timmy Dalton led the Bulldogs with a game-high 18 points. Brandon Richardson scored 17 points, Austin Chaffins chipped in 13 and Grant Kiser contributed 12 for Lawrence County in the victory.

The Bulldogs shot 48.4 percent (31-of-64) from the field. Lawrence County was 6-of-16 (37.5 percent) from 3-point range.

The Bulldogs shot 81.8 percent (9-of-11) from the foul line.

Lawrence County controlled the glass as well. The Bulldogs hauled in 30 total rebounds.

Dominant Lawrence County took a lead out of each quarter.

Richardson and Chaffins added seven assists apiece for

the Bulldogs. Both players were also active defensively, finishing with six and four steals, respectively.

Richardson led Lawrence County on the boards, pulling down a game-high eight rebounds.

Chaffins ranked as Lawrence County's second-leading rebounder with six rebounds.

Pike County Central 52, Lawrence County 51

BUCKLEYS CREEK — The Lawrence County Bulldogs fell short in a regular-season finale, falling to the Pike County Central Hawks Friday night.

Host Pike County Central edged Lawrence County 52-51 in a late-season 15th Region boys' basketball matchup.

With the loss, Lawrence County ended the regular-season 19-9.

Following the win, much-

improved Pike County Central improved to 14-10.

Lawrence County only shot 29.8 percent (17-of-57) from the field in the loss. The Bulldogs were 5-of-22 (22.7 percent) from 3-point range.

Lawrence County shot 75 percent (12-of-16) from the foul line.

Austin Chaffins led Lawrence County with a team-high 15 points. Joining Chaffins in double figures, Timmy Dalton added 13 points for the Bulldogs.

Brandon Richardson tossed in nine points and Robert Dalton added eight for Lawrence County in the setback.

Rounding out the Lawrence County scoring, Grant Kiser and Shawn Moore chipped in four and two points, respectively.

Richardson led Lawrence County inside, registering a team-best eight rebounds. Chaffins followed, grabbing six rebounds for the Bulldogs.



GOING FOR TWO: Lawrence County guard Savannah Cyrus drove through the basket against a double team from Russell's Lexi Berry (23) and Hannah Carter at Russell last Thursday during the Lady Devils' senior night. Russell pulled away to claim a 64-36 win over the Lady Bulldogs. *Photo/Wayne Chaffin*



LUKE DANIELS LED the Paintsville Tigers to a victory over visiting Pikeville. *Photo/Shawn Thompson*

Porter scores 11 points in Murray's conference win

MURRAY — The Murray State University women's basketball team ended its 2013-14 home slate with a dramatic 84-81 win over Morehead State University on Monday night at The Bank. Before the game Jessica Winfrey and manger Thomas Pool were honored for their contributions to the team as part of the Senior Night festivities.

Morehead State (11-16, 5-9) controlled the game at the beginning, but that did not last long. After a couple of quick baskets by the Eagles, Murray State (11-16, 4-11) went on a 10-0 run just three minutes into the game and held on to the lead for the remainder of the half. MSU shot a season-best 58.3 percent in the first half and took a nine point lead into the locker room at the break.

In the second, it looked like Murray State would cruise to the win after stopping a quick Morehead State run to start the second and going on to lead by as many as 14 with just over 10 minutes to play. However, the Eagles had other ideas, as they went on a 22-5 run from that point and took their first lead since early in the first half with 6:23 to go.

However, less than a minute after losing the lead, Murray State tied the game at 69 with a 3-pointer from Nikia Edom. A minute later Netanya Jackson knocked down a pair of free throws to give MSU a lead it would never relinquish. The two free throws by Jackson were two of nine on 10 attempts the Racers would convert in the final five minutes, on their way to going 25-for-29 for the game.

Although, Murray State never lost the lead in the final five minutes, Morehead State did not go quietly. With the lead down to two with 18 seconds to go, the Eagles grabbed a

rebound off of a missed MSU free throw and drove the length of the court. With just 11 second to go, Almesha Jones went up to tie the game at 80, but was blocked by Winfrey. The Racers then went 4-for-4 at the line in the final seven seconds, allowing them to negate a buzzer-beating three by Shanice Parker and hold on for the 84-81 win.

Edom led Murray State with 17 points on a night in which she went 5-for-6 from the floor, 3-for-4 from 3-point range and a perfect 4-for-4 at the line. Winfrey followed closely on her big night with 15 points, including going a perfect 5-for-

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Daniels leads Tigers in regular season finale

PAINTSVILLE — Paintsville posted a win in its regular-season finale Thursday night, defeating visiting Pikeville 68-53 behind a game-high

Eagles upend Pikeville

PIKEVILLE — The Johnson Central Golden Eagles remained in the win column on the road Tuesday, Feb. 18, thanks to a 65-45 win over 15th Region rival Pikeville at the T.W. Oliver Memorial Gymnasium.

Visiting Johnson Central shot 41.8 percent (23-of-55) from the field. The Golden Eagles were 9-of-22 (40.9 percent) from 3-point range.

Johnson Central shot 62.5 percent (10-of-16) from the foul line.

Kyle Gullett led Johnson Central with a game-high 28 points and 10 rebounds. Joining Gullett in double figures, Shane Hall added 17 points for the Golden Eagles.

After edging Pikeville 17-15 in the opening quarter, Johnson Central outscored the Panthers 21-8 in the second period to lead 38-23 at halftime.

The Eagles maintained a lead throughout the second half, leading 49-32 at the end of the third quarter.

Dalton Adkins and Truman Salyer added seven points apiece for the Eagles.

Excelling inside, Johnson Central secured 36 total rebounds.

Junior center Zachary Huffman paced Pikeville with 11 points. Joining Huffman in double figures, sophomore guard Blaine May and senior forward/center Gaige Ray added 10 points apiece for the Panthers, a team under the tutelage of Johnson County native Bart Williams.

Senior guard Jacob Hamilton scored nine points and sophomore guard Ryder Johnson netted five for Pikeville in the loss.

38 points from junior guard Luke Daniels.

Paintsville improved to 10-14 while Pikeville dropped to 11-18.

Daniels was the only Paintsville player to reach double figures in the scoring column. Following Daniels in the Paintsville offensive category, senior guard Thomas Litteral put up eight points for the Tigers.

Lane Daniels and Quinton Hensley scored six points apiece, Zach Collins contributed five, Peyton Smith tossed in four and Luke Trimble added three points for the Paintsville boys' basketball team.

The Tigers set the tone ear-

ly, doubling up Pikeville 24-12 in the first quarter. The slow start proved to be too much for Pikeville to overcome in the non-district matchup as Paintsville packed a 41-26 lead into halftime and led 57-43 at the end of the third quarter.

Sophomore guard Ryder Johnson and junior center Zachary Huffman paced Pikeville with 13 points apiece. Following Johnson and Huffman in double figures, Gaige Ray added 10 points for the Panthers.

Each 15th Region squad featured seven different scorers.

The Tigers topped Pikeville for the second time in the

2013-14 season. Paintsville edged the Panthers 58-55 in the 15th Region All "A" Classic at the East Kentucky Expo Center on Jan. 13.

Paintsville 68, Pikeville 53
 Pikeville (53): Johnson 13, Huffman 13, Ray 10, May 8, Roop 5, Hamilton 2, Thompson 2.

Paintsville (68): Lu Daniels 36, Litteral 8, La. Daniels 6, Hensley 6, Collins 5, Smith 4, Trimble 3.

Pikeville.....12 14 17 10-53

Paintsville.....24 17 16 11-68



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PRESENTING TOLSIA HIGH School girls' basketball players Savannah Winnett and Krista Maynard with certificates recognizing their nominations to the McDonald's All-American High School Girls' Basketball team are McDonald's of East Kentucky representative Suzanne Rose and head girls' basketball coach Ric Morrone.

Winnett, Maynard nominated for McDonald's All-American team

Savannah Winnett and Krista Maynard of Tolsia High School have been recognized as two of the finest basketball players in the country through their nomination to the 2014 McDonald's All American High School Girls Basketball Team.

Winnett and Maynard are two of only 1,000 female prep basketball standouts in the nation nominated by the Team Selection Committee, a group of nationally prominent basketball experts. As a nominee, these athletes will be considered for one of the 24 positions on the final McDonald's All American High School Girls

Basketball Team.

The 13th annual girls' game will be played Wednesday, April 2, and broadcast live on ESPNU, with tipoff at 6 p.m. The 37th annual boys' game will begin at 8:30 p.m. and air live on ESPN. Proceeds from both games will benefit Ronald McDonald House Charities. The Ronald McDonald House program has provided a "home-away-from-home" for millions of family members of seriously ill children since its inception in 1974.

McDonald's All-American alumni include WNBA talent Candace Parker (Los Angeles Sparks), who made history at

the 2004 McDonald's All American Games when she became the first woman to win the slam dunk contest at the POWERADE Jam Fest. Current NCAA stars include Maya Moore (Connecticut) and Glory Johnson (Tennessee). Former and current NBA superstars include Alonzo Mourning, Kevin Garnett, Carmelo Anthony, LeBron James, Kevin Durant, and Derrick Rose.

To present these girls with certificates for this prestigious honor are McDonald's of East Kentucky representative Suzanne Rose and head girls' basketball coach Ric Morrone.

Johnson Central pounds Blackcats

PRESTONSBURG — Eleven different Johnson Central players broke into the scoring column Thursday night as the visiting Golden Eagles defeated 15th Region rival Prestonsburg 84-43 in a regular-season finale.

Junior forward Kyle Gullett led Johnson Central with a game-high 17 points. Gullett was 6-of-9 shooting from the field. Senior forward Shane Hall, a Marshall University signee, registered a double-double, scoring 10 points and grabbing 10 rebounds.

Truman Salyer, Mason Blair and Slade McPeck added eight points apiece for the Eagles. Salyer also excelled

defensively, registering a career-high five blocks.

Braxton Hensley scored eight points while Dalton Adkins, Nick McKenzie and Josh Hitchcock contributed six apiece for the Eagles.

Johnson Central took control early, outscoring Prestonsburg 26-12 in the opening quarter. The Golden Eagles, under the guidance of veteran head coach Tommy McKenzie, led 42-21 at halftime.

Johnson Central added to its lead shortly after intermission, outscoring Prestonsburg 22-10 in the third quarter.

The Golden Eagles shot 49.3 percent (33-of-67) from the field. Johnson Central was

11-of-24 (45.8 percent) from 3-point range.

The Golden Eagles owned the glass, hauling in 46 total rebounds.

Sophomore forward Dalton Frasure led Prestonsburg with a team-high 15 points. Junior guard Jarrin Hall joined Frasure in double figures, adding 11 points for the Blackcats.

Aaron Foley scored four points while Cody Mitchell and Scott Stapleton added three apiece for Prestonsburg in the loss.

The Golden Eagles will carry an eight-game winning streak into the 57th District Tournament.



PAINTSVILLE HIGH SCHOOL girls' basketball player Shelby Carroll, pictured with her family, was recognized before the Lady Tigers' game against Allen Central Feb. 19. Carroll, a senior, suffered a serious knee injury Jan. 20 and ended her career at PHS with 1,697 points. In an agreement between the Paintsville and Allen Central coaches, the opening tip was given to Carroll, who then took the ball out of bounds and handed it to PHS coach Mark Baldwin.

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5 at the charity stripe. The senior also pulled down four boards in the game, giving her 801 for her career and making her just the sixth player in program history to reach the 800 rebound plateau.

Jansen Starks added 15 points to the cause on the night, while Lawrence County High

School graduate Taylor Porter, a freshman, chipped in 11. Jackson led MSU with nine rebounds on the night, to go with 13 points, to round out the five Racers in double-digits.

Morehead State's Almesha Jones was 11-for-23 from the floor in the game to lead all scorers with a game-high 31 points. Jones was dangerously close to a triple-double in the

contest, as she also had nine assists and eight steals. Mackenzie Arledge was next in line for the Eagles as she scored 10 and pulled down 10 rebounds for the game's only double-double.

The Racers will close out the season Saturday when they travel to Cape Girardeau to take on Southeast Missouri. Tip-off is set for 3 p.m.

University of Kentucky 2013 Basketball Schedule

Coming Up ... Thru March 12th!

Date	Opponent
02/12	Auburn
02/15	Florida*
02/18	Ole Miss
02/22	LSU*
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